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C. M. Hobbs  
Bridgport  
Indiana

From Jan 1<sup>st</sup> 1881





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Sat Jan 1<sup>st</sup> 1881

Ther 14° below 0 early A.M.  
about 36° above at noon  
drips a little from the eaves  
Fred do chores & reads

Sun 2<sup>nd</sup> Ther 8 below 0 early  
A.M. drips a little from  
the eaves about noon  
Mother Fred & self go to  
S.S. I come home from  
S.S. & stay with Anna &  
Olly, Rena, Moll & Mr.  
Robinson here to dinner  
The girls, Emma, Fred,  
go to Benj Wrights Rm.

Mon 3<sup>rd</sup> Ther 4° below 0 A.M.  
Thaughes come in see  
Harry Kuske come I assist  
some E Baker & J. A. Phelps  
here to talk about settling true  
Baker takes outfit & Daniel  
Mills has a sale today



Thu. 4<sup>th</sup> Considerably warm  
Thu. at freezing at noon  
Survivors nearly all day  
George & Henry haul & husk  
corn I help some.

Emery goes to Clayton Mo.  
to see B. S. Ragan of  
Independence Mo. about  
selling a lot of evergreen  
from the other nursery  
Ragan comes up P.M. &  
here tonight Emery goes  
to City

~~Wed~~ - 5<sup>th</sup> Thu. is above easy  
P.M. Survivors pretty brisk  
P.M. George & Henry cut  
wood & husk corn Wagon  
Ragan. Emery, Fred &  
self go to City. Ann  
Fred starts to Col again  
I call at the rooms of  
State Board of Ag, while  
P.M.

Thu. 6<sup>th</sup> Cool & cloudy  
Survivors come at 10  
I take the 8 AM train  
for Canton 7.15  
of Independence Mo.  
Where we get dinner  
He goes down to look  
at evergreen, talks  
briefly the whole lot  
We stop at 1 PM. in  
& take dinner at the Ragan  
brothers. We take the 2.15  
& C train about 2 PM.  
some very slow - get  
to Salem at 5.30. We  
meet us at depot  
receive a letter at 7.00  
I had a short talk with Ann

Fri. 7<sup>th</sup> Cold & storm  
Ragan & family out  
early, & look over the  
evergreen. He don't  
like the way they have



been known and even  
 shared, too many, some  
 not shared with me  
 some to my friends  
 but then a few days  
 of favorable price  
 raised that he could take  
 a few loads if he was  
 that he was all the same  
 with the cotton to  
 Richard, he was to sell  
 go to Salem, I'll report  
 to the other gentlemen  
 from the. I'll be  
 in Canton, Mass. I'll  
 be at home & John. I'll  
 say all night with him  
 I don't feel very well

Run as fast as I  
 can and I will  
 get you a new  
 coat of arms. I have  
 been thinking of it  
 for some time.

Mar 10<sup>th</sup> Suncheon cold  
Bent Al. Alf + self go to  
Salween early April. &





take the 8.25 AM train  
for Louisville. In the  
day freight apt about  
freights on the L.N.A. & C.  
Go to Mrs. Albany & call  
on Jas. O. Green. He lives  
about one mile S.W. of the  
City on the Knobs. He has  
a beautiful situation  
overlooking N.A. Jct. &  
Louisville. Has fine hor-  
good fruit location.  
The object of my visit was  
to see Lily Dale. Green  
says she is one of the grandest  
cows in America & I guess  
he is not far from right.  
She is by far the best milk  
cow I ever saw. She is  
a dark breed, almost  
black long slender horn  
large size, enormous  
stomach very deep in the

loins & wide across the  
hips & an immense  
udder large milk  
vessels rich yellow skin  
& with the udder at <sup>day</sup>  
is giving 5 & 6 gal of milk  
& making 16 lbs of butter  
per week with very  
ordinary care. I take  
the train at 5 PM for  
Orleans. Call on Geo. Single  
then call at John Jeter  
find them in bed. Go  
to Grover Hotel & put up for  
the night.  
June 11<sup>th</sup> Cold sunshiny  
most of day. I call on  
Milk early AM. She & John  
had just returned from  
Hartsville the day before  
Uncle Tommy Elrod  
deceased of disease of bowels  
something like flux on the





4<sup>th</sup> inst after about  
three weeks sickness  
He was conscious & ready  
to go - was buried at  
Hartsville. I call on Ann  
again this AM. She  
has three little children  
John is drinking most  
of time & Ann has a hard  
time of it. I take the  
10.21 AM train for  
home - get home about  
8 o'clock

Wed 12<sup>th</sup> Warm sun  
though some George  
hauls a load of ash  
from Plainfield AM.  
Hauls wood & PM.  
Henry cuts wood PM.  
I read & write & re

Thurs 13<sup>th</sup> Cloudy & warm  
Sun raining PM.

Emery goes to Morrisville  
in the day. George  
hauls a load of ash from  
Plainfield AM. Henry  
cuts wood, mends work  
PM. I read & write & re

Fri 14<sup>th</sup> Sunshine Cold  
I go to City to get one  
of my molars refilled  
& Emery at home doing  
chores & re

Sat 15<sup>th</sup> Cloudy & cool  
George & self haul  
fodder & cut wood  
John Pool & Bent Hobbs  
come in PM. They  
are on their way to  
Kansas. Bent is going  
out in the interest of  
egg bus & to see the folks  
at Kentucky College.



16<sup>th</sup> Sun - Cloudy, cool  
Emery takes John to  
the City to visit today  
they return at night  
But mother self go to  
mtg. Nan calls in  
awhile. All Anna  
mother go to mtg tonight.  
But & self keep City.

17<sup>th</sup> Mon - Cloudy & cool  
John Pool, But go  
to City to take train for  
Kau, Emery & self go  
up with them - meet  
John Thompson on the  
train. We all go together  
to ticket office to see  
what what the most  
favorable rates over to  
Kansas City & west -  
They are offered tickets  
to Kansas City for \$7.50

We go about the City  
Emery John Thompson  
take a P.M. train for  
Raccoon. I come out  
on 4 P.M. train & leave  
John But & Emery  
in City. John But  
go out at 11:00 tonight  
Henry cuts wood  
Mother & I out collecting  
furs & clothing for Kaus.  
Epodites

Tue 18<sup>th</sup> Cloudy cool &  
damp. I go to Port  
Ark. As Chorus &  
Baker came awhile. P.M.  
Emery comes home from  
City. P.M. & take the  
Ceney clipper near  
Reale, out to Clark Blau

Wed 19<sup>th</sup> Damp & Cool



Mother & Quincy go to  
Plainfield, to take  
some horse that their  
neighborhood contributed  
to the Kansas refugees.  
I put in some window  
light trim work &c.

I go to City tonight  
to hear John B. Dough  
at English Opera.  
Subject: Anti Personal  
Recollections & Experiences.  
The lecture was made up  
of odds & ends of experi-  
ence & denouncing some  
of the fashionable evils  
of the day. Theater  
(Church special) & fair.  
Lancing. Church singing  
intemperance spiritua-  
lism &c. The lecture  
was exceedingly  
amusing & instructive.

Dough is now 63 yrs.  
of age - has been lecturing  
mainly on temperance  
for 38 yrs. He is a fine  
orator & a well preserved  
one - was born in England  
came to America at the  
age of 12 yrs.

Thursday the Snow & Cold  
considerable rain late PM  
& tonight ground very icy  
& slick. I came home from  
City on early AM train -  
trim work &c. Quincy  
goes to City PM.

Friday 21<sup>st</sup> Snowing All  
day & slick. Quincy & self  
haul fodder AM.  
At desk PM.

Sat. 22<sup>nd</sup> Spitting snow





most of day, I trim.  
roote most of day  
A Mr May & lady from  
the City Agents for  
the Singer sewing machi-  
ne to dinner (I must  
of P.M. Phelps came  
in awhile P.M.

Sun 23<sup>rd</sup> Cold N.W. wind  
spitting snow most of  
day. Anna & I drove  
down to Plainfield to  
attend the funeral service  
of Martha Healy. Leav-  
ed Oly with mother. We  
came home after nite.  
Henry Buffinell called on when  
late P.M.

Mon 24<sup>th</sup> Cloudy & cool  
Sunning some  
George & Henry saw wood  
I trim roote

P.M. I trim roote &  
Quincy from to Greenwood  
& Franklin to about  
territory for agents &c

Tues 25<sup>th</sup> Cloudy & cold  
George split wood, I trim  
roote. All George & Henry  
saw wood P.M. I write  
a trim roote

Wed 26<sup>th</sup> Sunning some early  
All. Sunshine most of  
day Cold & very windy  
George hauled 2 loads  
of manure from Watsons  
to gate the mules & hods.  
I trim roote. G. to Report P.M.

Thurs 27<sup>th</sup> Sunshine most of  
day Cold 3<sup>rd</sup> at 10 early  
All Sunning some late P.M.  
I trim roote &c George



hauled & loaded of manure.  
From Matamoras to 1 load of  
sawdust from Winery in

28 Fri. Cloudy & sun. cold.  
Mercury 73° below 0 early AM.  
I trim roots re Henry's tree  
P.M. Emory comes to see  
from City P.M. Baker calls

29 Sat. Cloudy & cold  
Grog. & self go to City  
after Humbley's meal bran  
&c. I attend the Marin  
Co. Ag. & Hort. mtg. then P.M.  
& come home in train  
Henry splits wood &  
trims roots. May the  
Singer machine agt &  
lady assistant here  
to dinner

Sun 30<sup>th</sup>. Cloudy & warm

A solid coat of ice &  
snow has covered the  
ground for weeks & today  
has melted so as to bare  
the ground in many  
places. Go to S.S. mtg.  
All go to mtg. Robt. M. Smith  
Mira. Hole here to dinner  
I go to Bridgeport to  
mtg. tonight

Mon 31<sup>st</sup> Drizzling up to,  
about 10 A.M. when it  
commenced to rain & to  
rain steadily P.M. & is  
still raining at bed time.  
Mue. 30. A night Henry  
& self haul in the last  
of our fodder P.M. Emory  
here. I trim roots outside  
graft some P.M. Henry  
trims roots P.M. Emory  
starts into grafting



Feb. Tue. 1 Cold wind  
snowing some. Very  
icy & slick. George & Henry  
haul a load of straw  
from Henry Bradfords Am.  
trim roots remainder of  
day. Emory, Mother, Anna  
& self Graft.

Wed. 2. Cloudy & cold  
We graft George & Henry  
trim roots Am. cut wood  
Rm. Baker calls.

I go to City on 6.15 P.M.  
train to attend court  
S.S. Court & attend to  
some business. Court  
held in First Baptist  
Church. An interesting  
mtg tonight & stay  
over night at Jas. Truebloms.

Thur. 3 Cold - sunning &

blowing. All day comes  
out Rm. I do some  
shopping then call on  
Marie & Nicholas at  
the Brunswick Hotel &  
tell him \$40.00 of nursery  
stock. Come home at 4  
P.M. Mother, Anna & Emory  
go to Bus Night today  
to visit Sue Morris &  
children - they are on  
their way to Linn  
George & Henry trim roots

Fri. 4<sup>th</sup> Mercury below 0.  
early A.M. Sunshine cold  
all day. George trim  
roots Am. - He & Henry  
haul straw from Bradfords  
Rm. Emory sells & graft  
etc.  
Sat. 5<sup>th</sup> Cold - sunshine  
most of day





George & Henry had  
3 loads of straw  
from Bedford.  
It is badly frozen I  
help A. L. Mother &  
Emily go to Quarters of  
Plainfield. I do chor-  
re also. Sea Starbuck  
here to see about the Am.  
Jury came out Am.

Sun 6<sup>th</sup> Cloudy & cool  
I am unwell & not  
out any. Jerry & Emily  
go to R. port to putg.  
Mother to mtg. S. S. Fair  
Ann's off at home

Mon. 7<sup>th</sup> Commence to  
rain during the night  
continues all day & rain  
at bed time. Jerry goes  
to city. All Emily son

with him. I am  
feeling some better  
but not able for work

8<sup>th</sup> Mercury 40° most  
of day. Raining. All  
camps dripping. Rain &  
raining all night.  
George & Henry trim out  
the much straw bins  
Am. Protracted mtg.  
commenced last night.  
Mother & self go to putg.  
P. M. Calvin Pritchard  
here to dinner & till  
mtg. time tonight. Mother  
Emily & Rena go to mtg.  
tonight. Rena came this  
Am. to stay with us awhile.

Tues. 9<sup>th</sup> Rained all night  
& almost uninterruptedly  
today & still raining at





bed time. St. James very  
high. George & Henry  
then wrote - got done about  
middle. Bill & Aunt Pottery  
Wrote. I then only go  
to rest to day. All but  
Aunt. I go tonight  
Mr. Wooten comes in  
A.M. & with us tonight.

Thurs 10<sup>th</sup> Raining some  
during the night.  
Cloudy & cool during the  
day. - Snow some early  
A.M. - Every George &  
Henry go to Jesse White  
to cut cove. I show  
Mr. Wooten the stock &  
make out a list of price  
for him. Martha Wilson  
comes in. A.M. to attend  
the notes. Mother only  
go to city. Mr. Wooten

preached a good sermon  
All but Henry go  
to notes tonight. Mr. W.  
preaches a good sermon again.  
Martha Wilson then tonight.

11<sup>th</sup> Fri. - Raining early  
A.M. & late P.M.  
George & Henry haul 3  
loads of heavy iron  
Camping & self graft.  
Every go to city tonight.

Sat 12<sup>th</sup> Snowing & blowing  
all day. disagreeable but  
no graft - don't any of  
us go to city.

Sun 13<sup>th</sup> Cloudy, cold  
snowing some.  
Mother & self go to L.S.  
Mother receive a telegram.  
Jesse Aunt J. White & I



that Grandmother is  
not expected to live  
I go to Bport & get  
them to stop the last  
P.M. train & mother & Emory  
go out to see Grandmother  
Anna & self go to mtg. & miss  
considerable interest in  
the mtg. Anna & Olly  
stay with Anna & Emory  
till after mtg. Calvin &  
Martha Wilson here  
tonight

Nov 14<sup>th</sup> Cloudy & cold  
Rena goes to City to have  
her teeth worked on  
I go with her & to look after  
cows & other business  
Cows & stock come in  
after 7 P.M. from Canton  
George & self bring the  
cows & get them in cells

about 9 P.M. Rena goes  
to mtg. George hauls  
a load of manure from  
Plainfield. A.M. H &  
Henry haul stalk & c  
P.M. manure & cow & milk

Tue 15<sup>th</sup> Cloudy & cool  
I write go to Bport  
after cows & pack  
cows & A.M. Graft P.M.  
Emory comes home P.M.  
Grandmother still living  
but not likely to last long  
George hauls wood & stalk  
P.M. All go to mtg. tonight  
have a lively meeting.

16<sup>th</sup> Sunshine & cold  
George hauls load of manure  
from Plainfield. A.M. -  
haul stalk & c P.M.  
Emory & self Graft  
Emory & Rena go to mtg. tonight



17<sup>th</sup> Cloudy - snowing  
P.M. Emory & self  
graft - Henry Help  
graft & P.M. Rena  
goes to city to have her  
teeth worked on Rena  
& self go to mtg. tonight  
Calvin comes home with  
us.

18<sup>th</sup> Raining A.M.  
Cloudy & cool P.M.  
Emory Henry & self  
graft. Billy Pepper  
Wife in Bport died  
this P.M. - reported from  
the effects of cholera.  
Anita & I go to mtg.  
Have a good mtg.  
Martha Wilson here tonight.

19<sup>th</sup> Sat. Clear & warm  
Emory Henry & self graft  
Calvin Wife & Eddie

here tonight. We all  
go to mtg. tonight  
mtg. quite interesting

Sun 20 Cloudy some sun  
P.M. pleasant.  
Anita Rena & self go  
over to Bport A.M. to see  
the remains of Wm. Pepp  
wife. Go to S. H. & mtg.  
Calvin reaches Liable  
cemetery on revival  
All go to mtg. tonight  
Calvin & wife here tonight.

Mon 21<sup>st</sup> Warm some cool  
wind. I take Calvin  
Wife & Eddie & Rena to  
the morning train they  
go to City ~~to see~~  
Thompson. comes up  
in train to talk with  
goes back home P.M.





Emery & self graft  
George & Henry haul  
two loads of straw  
from Asa Starbuck  
Emery & Rena go to  
mtg. tonight. Jose  
Miller via mtg. tonight  
+ tomorrow

Sun 22<sup>nd</sup> Warm sun  
& Spring like. Muddy  
Emery & self graft  
George & Henry haul  
one load of straw from  
Starbuck & help about  
house some Rena  
Rena & Emery go to  
mtg. tonight

23<sup>rd</sup> Cloudy cool  
some sun. I graft  
Emery grafts from  
go to City P.M. to look  
after lumber for box

George mulches straw  
berries. Henry helps to  
mulch & berries P.M.

24<sup>th</sup> Sun. Cloudy cool  
thawing but little  
George & Henry haul  
2 loads of straw from  
Starbuck. Emery & self  
graft. Emery sells P.M.  
I go to mtg. tonight  
I have Ferguson deceased  
betw. 12 & 1 P.M. today  
probably a spotted  
fever - has been very  
low for several days -  
leaves a helpless young  
family

25<sup>th</sup> Sun. - cool  
George & Henry & self  
go to Valley Mills Nursery  
after cinn. Wood damaged



as we get but fine  
Emery & Anna's grass

Sat. 26<sup>th</sup> Warm sun  
Emery & self graft  
George & Henry haul  
loads of straw from  
Bradleys All-mulch  
P.M. We all attend  
the funeral of John  
Hargerson at 11 A.M.  
George's funeral

Sun 27<sup>th</sup> Rainy  
W to S.S. mtg.  
Empire and mtg in  
Bapt P.M.

Mon. 28<sup>th</sup> Commenced  
sowing early in  
the night sowing &  
blowing all day  
Emery, Henry & self

graft Anna & Ann  
wrap, George trim  
rotter

Mon. June 1<sup>st</sup> Cool - sunshine  
thawed some, Emery  
Henry & self graft George  
trim rotter Anna  
goes to City to have her  
teeth worked on.

We receive a telegram from  
mother this A.M. that  
Grandmother deceased.  
Yesterday P.M. - Funeral  
will take place at 11 A.M.  
tomorrow at Raysville  
Henry Suffield here  
tonight - commence work  
for us tomorrow at \$4.18,  
per month board & washing  
solid month - work up  
to hay harvest



Wed 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunshin warm  
melted considerably.  
Henry & Emory & self graft  
Henry Duffield their  
grape vine. George had  
a part of a load of saw  
dust from Windyridge  
& a load of manure  
from Kew's Hauls a  
load of manure from  
Plainfield P.M.

Wed 3<sup>rd</sup> Thun. - Blustering sunny  
blowing - very disagreeable  
out Emory Henry & I  
self graft George their  
vine - Henry & their  
grapes & roots Mother  
came home P.M. from  
the funeral of Grandma

Fri 4<sup>th</sup> - Sunny & blustering  
Emory mother & self &

graft. Henry & I cut  
wood from  
grapes & P.M.

Sat 5<sup>th</sup> - Sunny &  
blowing Emory & I  
self graft go to City on  
train Henry & their  
roots & c

Sun 6<sup>th</sup> - Sunshin & cool  
to City on train Henry  
& I self graft & c  
P.M. I go to city.  
bright.

Mon 7<sup>th</sup> - Sunshin warm  
George had a load  
of manure from Plain  
field & I wife sick &  
don't work P.M. Henry &  
& Henry & I milked & c  
I cannot stock & c Emory  
not well



8<sup>th</sup> June. Rainy most  
all day. Emily mother  
Henry & self graft Henry  
& put a partition in  
the stall. A.M. time  
note Bill. Georgetown note.

9<sup>th</sup> Cloudy & cool  
Emily Henry mother  
& self graft. Sun. & Rev.  
visit. Emory & Henry.  
time Wilsons orchard  
Saw & pray. Call a few  
minutes. P.M. He & wife  
expect to go to Colorado  
soon when they will  
make their home.  
I go to Temperance  
meeting. taught at night. home  
I saw Chas. Chairman  
& saw McMiller. Day

Thurs 10<sup>th</sup> Warm sun P.M.

Henry & mother self  
graft Emory note &  
go to & drive to see John  
Thompson son. P.M. Henry &  
& George finish training  
Wilsons orchard. P.M. &  
dig Gregg raspberry  
article. M. A. Workman  
of Green Castle comes in  
& A.M. to see about buying  
stock to fill order. He  
will give us an order for  
honey bee.

Fri 11. Cloudy & cool  
Get in box of cider from  
Canton. A.M. Mother  
Henry & self graft  
Emory note. Emory & Henry  
& dig Gregg & scatter straw  
on berries.

12<sup>th</sup> Rainy





Henry V. mother self  
graft Henry & hang  
meat & All. he &  
George trim raspberries  
Bill. Every gone to City  
Mother & Reila go to Plainfield.  
P.M.

Mon 14 - Lushkin pleasant  
George & Miller Thompson  
trim raspberries Willie  
Wraps & clean out the  
Chicken House P.M.  
Henry & G. go to the city  
for lumber for the  
boxen. bring 1000 ft. &  
some pieces of molding  
Henry V. woman & self  
graft I go to R. port P.M.

Tue 15 - The same sun  
& spring like Henry V. &  
woman & self graft  
Henry Thompson

make the boxen  
Henry & hang woman  
from Chadwick & hang  
Henry V. a cord of wood  
George woman Josh & Jim  
around pear & dig  
trunk All Miller wrap  
P.M. George & Willie dig  
Raspberries & grapes  
Lally A. Wright Run  
Jimmie Run P.M.  
Cyrus Kesting, L. is at 4 P.M.  
the <sup>of Phosphorus</sup> Shoveling <sup>the</sup> Cloudy  
& damp P.M. Henry V.  
woman & self graft  
George Braden work about  
3 hrs. take sick & gone  
home Henry & trim  
raspberries & All. he  
& Willie dig stock P.M.  
Willie wrap some  
Fred comes home. P.M. for  
a week vacati- I go to  
temperance mtg. tonight



17<sup>th</sup> Thu. Warm sunny.  
Willie Henry & self  
get up stock for Horace  
Henry & go to City  
after a load of lumber.  
Henry & Thompson make  
ten boxes P.M. Fred &  
the women graft  
Cyrus Newton funeral at 11-AM.

Fri 18<sup>th</sup> Warm sun.  
Henry & Horace Miller  
& self get up stock  
Henry & go to Jerry  
Whiter after maps &  
George's. Fred & women  
grafting. Henry & make  
boxes & George went to  
City yesterday & got a  
job on the work train.  
Cyrus arrived to day  
& want to settle up &  
quit - gets desserted  
& I am willing he should  
quit.

19<sup>th</sup> Raining, nearly  
all day. Fred & the  
women graft. Henry  
& self take McKinnans  
stock to the early AM  
train. Get up & buy some  
beans for Canton &  
get up & bale Milburn  
stuff & J. N. Barker little  
bill.

20<sup>th</sup> Ground covered  
with snow this morning  
& drifting snow much  
all day - Milder as it  
falls. All except Ann &  
Vergie go to S.S. meetg. Anna  
& Fred go to meetg tonight.

Wed 21<sup>st</sup> Cloudy & cool  
Ground frozen. Ann  
& Henry & self go to City  
with Milburn & J. N. Barker  
stock. Bring back. Plan



Flour bran timber  
Feed + women graft  
Willie and wife + sister  
roots re Horace Henry's  
digs haul in Cherry + plum  
Jany comes out All  
Lena, Anna + Fred go to Pine  
McMillan's tonight to cut  
maple wax

22<sup>nd</sup> Good frost seen  
last night Cloudy + raining  
All. Rinishin. All cool  
Horace Henry + Willie  
dig Cherry. Fred + the  
other graft All.

23<sup>rd</sup> Cloudy sunshin  
most of day. Grounds  
frozen hard this morn.  
Henry + haul trash All  
Go to J. Furman Riv.  
after Chestnut + c.

Horace Henry + Willie  
dig haul in Cherry  
haul in plum + c.  
Linda + Reaga here  
All. Fred starts to  
College again All. Anna  
go to City.

24<sup>th</sup> Main Fair  
Henry + takes Jany + her  
boy of time to City + brings  
back three cases of French  
stock. Horace Henry +  
Willie + self get up + pack  
Harvey's stock.

25<sup>th</sup> Fri. Damp + cool  
sunning some.  
Horace Henry + Willie  
+ self unpack French  
stock, dig Plum + c.  
Henry + takes Harvey +  
boy to City brings back a load  
of lumber





Sat 26<sup>th</sup> Ground covered  
with snow then passing  
sunshine but cool some  
all day by night.

I graft A.M. Henry haul  
wood the sunset from Jim on  
Horace Henry Bob Miller  
+ self out up + pack  
stock for Jimmy Post  
for workmen to

27<sup>th</sup> Sunshine cool

I go to City to look after  
peach from Mrs. Fine  
them at Cambridge Apt  
Ert's Robert Park Church  
to Robt Furness to see  
Bob Han + self call on  
Jim Hollenwell.  
I get him at night.

Mon 28<sup>th</sup> Cloudy A.M.  
Commence to rain soon

get snow + continue  
into the night changing  
into sleet then snow  
Henry bought more  
ice to lay house today  
He gave \$5.00 for the  
+ got fruit from orchard  
for table use + a garden  
spot. John H. Gray for  
into the John Coswell  
house with privilege  
of garden north of house  
for the shed for a station.  
He is to pay \$5.00 for the  
house for 11 months 1st of  
March 82. Henry go  
to City after peach  
Horace Miller + self get  
cherry + other stock +  
get up a bill for Jimmy  
white.  
Sat 29<sup>th</sup> Commenced  
snowing in the night.



2304 in in ground when  
we got up. Continued to  
snow & blow all day  
down to 10 in left drifted  
badly. Men & self off  
Henry & self with sleds  
in peach. The two Henrys  
haul haycoats P.M. &  
put up a bale of hay  
for H. McLean a car  
of Apple for Sale at  
B. post but at diagnosis  
we cant well unload it  
Wed. 30<sup>th</sup>

Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> early. All  
morning & evening all  
day. Very disagreeable  
out. We don't do any  
out door work except  
bring along of the one in  
back of Henry & woman  
Graft. Henry & self  
pack Graft for shipping

Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> Henry & self  
All day comes out to  
melt the snow considerably  
making it very sticky  
Charles Jones & Henry &  
truck & sled in town P.M.  
Henry & self haul the  
Car of Apples from Center  
Lillian Ragan - help  
to load P.M. Henry &  
Charles Horse William  
& self put in

Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> Henry & self  
Henry & self in  
town & during the day  
Car hauled out  
Lillian Ragan came  
over to bill - but don't  
get over much  
Henry & self Graft  
came. The two Henrys haul  
hay over P.M. Abram Miller  
here tonight



Sat 3rd Mercury 30 only  
All through the day  
in the sun. Henry & go  
to City, after box & size &  
making for boxes. Aunt  
& another go to same  
Charles Miller, etc. get up  
+ build 240 peach for Carter  
+ put in apple branch  
tonight.

Sat 4th Mercury 30  
Snowed some during the  
night, though during day  
got to S. S. only. In evening  
Ragan came over to see to  
commence billing out ~~Wagon~~  
delivery. I prevail on  
them to wait till tomorrow.

4th Mon. Mercury 24  
Early A.M. Rain Cloudy  
Sun shines warm, but  
greys in the shade all day.

Tuesday & Cassan come  
over early and start to  
work. Henry & Grace  
Willie Chanley, Mrs. Hunter,  
Ike Montgomery & Sam  
Cass. Sam comes late  
Henry & Grace make  
boxes. Ike get 100  
billed out by 2:30 P.M.  
+ Bob Hawkins take 3  
boxes + Henry & L. to  
the City to get out tomorrow.  
Fincher goes to City P.M.  
We put stock + Ragan  
commence billing ~~Wagon~~.  
It cold too handle stock.

Sun 5th Mercury 22 early A.M.  
Sunshine most of day  
freezing in the shade.  
Henry & Grace start for  
packing. Ragan come over  
about 10 A.M. Willie, Ike & Henry



Help him to bill out  
Dan Martin, Homer Hays  
& Charley his P.M. Got up  
before 8 o'clock in  
Brownstown.

Wed. 6<sup>th</sup> - Warming early still  
11<sup>0</sup> Warm sun, but cool  
wind. Ragan & hands  
bill out & buy Brownstown  
Homer Hays & N. Miller  
Charlie J. K. Martin &  
Dan. Our camp a little  
late. I superintend

Thur 7<sup>th</sup> - Warm. Sun cool  
in shade. Cloudy &  
threatening rain P.M.  
We got Redford up  
& hauled by the middle  
of P.M. Ragan then turned  
up. We got up some stock  
for Blumett &c

Van Gant from Spencer sent  
him P.M. straight - is after  
stock to fill orders

8<sup>th</sup> Cloudy & cool some  
sun. P.M. 12 & small  
here after ten A.M. I  
want to go to City but  
can't get off. Go to Depot  
& try to catch a freight  
but fail. Drive up P.M.  
Crisis Mary H. &c  
comes out P.M. to visit us  
Henry hauls load of saw  
dust P.M. - drive back to  
P.M.

8<sup>th</sup> Raining nearly all  
day. Bot. of Ragan takes  
a load of box &c for  
Caring to City Henry  
cracks punch &c. &c  
Write re Homer Hays &  
Homer help to load boxes





Sun 10<sup>th</sup> Sunshine & pleasant  
some clouds E to S. S. out  
Dug Hole. Wife & sister went  
to dinner & spend the P.M.

Mon 11<sup>th</sup> Raining P.M.  
Henry & Horace haul  
a stack of hay over  
Henry & John to City over  
with bale for Greenwood  
Franklin's a box for Harry  
We got up & pack the box  
A.M. P.M. we got up Morris  
& part of Belleville  
I take Cousin Mary  
Hobbs to the train over  
she goes back to City

12<sup>th</sup> Cloudy & cool  
Raining P.M. Henry &  
makes a small delivery  
at Morrisville Horace  
Harry V. Charley Musten

Willie & self get up some  
stock feed & take  
Bedford's delivery to  
the depot from Parker  
Came out with men city  
Wed 13<sup>th</sup> Cloudy & cool

spitting & some rain  
Rain last night  
I go to City today on  
business. Ned & John to  
City. Aunt J. comes out  
home with me. P.M.  
Horace Henry & Willie  
Graft & crack peach and  
Henry D. makes a small  
delivery at Belleville.

14 Sunshine & pretty day  
Henry & John to City  
after empty boxes  
I work at the desk  
Otha & Harry go to Long  
Matter & sell



15<sup>th</sup> ~~th~~ Cloudy cool  
drizzling rain P.M.  
Sun & W. & Sun. go  
to City. Henry & I into  
City after Grab Vin  
& transport by Horse  
Henry & I will get up  
Stock for Workmen.  
I go to City on freight  
P.M. to see H.C. Long  
about selling him a  
bill of tree. I miss the  
4 P.M. train & walk out  
home.

16<sup>th</sup> Sat. - Sunshine  
Pleasant Weather  
Start to Canton P.M.  
Henry had man  
Mr. R. Port & Kana  
Horse Henry & I will  
unpack French stock &  
feed in grape graft  
remainder of day

17<sup>th</sup> Sun. - Sunshine  
Pleasant. Go to S. County  
Anna City. Han Home  
oself go to David Mr  
William to dinner &  
spend the P.M.

Mon 18. Warm sun P.M.  
Cloudy cool - P.M.  
Henry & I will travel  
studies on to the berry  
beds P.M. Henry & I  
Charles & I will get up  
some stock for John  
Hansen. Will in box  
of tin from Canton &  
get up pack Hiram &  
Zachary & I will  
& Henry & I take them  
to City. We get up &  
pack a bill for C. H.  
Ricker Elgin. I will



June 18<sup>th</sup> Warm sun  
We got up Van Zant bill  
as bill for Harry &  
Nicholas bill  
Harry take Chicken bill  
to City. Harry & Charles  
& Miller at bank. Al  
come in P.M. in his  
way to Minneapolis to  
settle up his sister-in-law  
estate. Van Zant came  
in A.M. & was on night

20<sup>th</sup> Warm sun  
Harry goes to City  
with Nicholas Van Zant  
bill & a bill for Harry  
Charles Harry & Miller  
plant gunberry &  
Litchum come in A.M.  
& settle up P.M.  
come in P.M. & we settle  
some home trade

21<sup>st</sup> Warm sun  
We plant some shrubs  
& set up back door  
door 21-Change for  
Harry - Graft change  
for Workman, &  
Charles Harry & Miller work

22<sup>nd</sup> Warm sun  
Harry & goes to City  
with Boy for Harry  
Laba for Van Zant & on  
for Scott Morris. We  
got up bill for Van Zant  
plant graft & set up &  
take to Litchum & set up  
for Van Zant. Harry graft  
some seed & Miller each  
plant seed. Charles & set  
plant shrubs &  
Rena goes to City

23<sup>rd</sup> Warm sun - almost  
summer heat. Bad swelling





rapidly. Charles Henry &  
Willie Blunt Express.  
Henry D. Shaw for S-  
beverin. Sales constant  
of about each door. I take  
a bill of ten to train run  
for Edg. & Jimmy. Al  
comes in this evening  
from Winchester. Chas  
Jesse up now tonight. Olly  
Cris down the cellar stairs  
today. did not hurt him  
much.

Sun 24<sup>th</sup> Cloudy & sunshy  
Shower P.M. Got to S.  
city. Jimmie Wright  
& Celia Stroud at out  
& here to Lin. - open P.M.  
I am billion & feel sure  
& bad all day

Mon 25 - Warm sun

Shower P.M. Rain on  
swelling & bursting very  
rapidly. Work coming  
in. Have 4 more customers  
today. We get up some  
stock for Van Gant &  
ship one box, about a  
customer or  
Charles Henry & S.  
Willie at work Harry  
Linnoller & Ike Montgumery  
work P.M. Olly quite  
partly back. Then  
coming off at evening

26<sup>th</sup> Warm sun  
Nancy & Joan to Plainfield  
after Congress P.M.  
We finish getting up  
& packing stock for Van  
Gant & put up a bale  
for Harry take all to  
our depot & ship P.M.



At home. Planting  
a bed of Chrysanthemums  
Bill Henry & V. Charley  
Harry, Willie & Ike at work

27<sup>th</sup> Warm sun  
Ike Bradford makes  
a sale of all his property  
today & is going to Minn.  
I got to suit & will buy  
a set of wagon harness  
Willie worth \$1.30 or so  
to sell Charley & Ike  
plant strawberries shrubs  
on Henry & Drake ground  
for potatoes

28 Cloudy cool sun  
sun Plant potatoes  
out of straw creek pond  
seed commence planting  
Grafts re Charley Henry  
Willie Ike & the two Henrys

Lu & Ed die Jimmum  
at work

Feb 29. Sunshin. Cool  
Plant Grafts & creek pond  
re Henry & Drake ground  
for planting Henry & V  
Charlie Willie Henry  
Ike Herbert & Eddie at work

Lat. 30<sup>th</sup> Sunshin pleasant  
Plant Grafts re  
Eddie Morris, corner street  
pond Charley Henry & V  
Willie Herbert & Ike at work

Every one here tonight  
May 1<sup>st</sup> Rainy  
Doffy not well, I don't  
go to L. for night  
Go out at 3 PM to hear  
John Riley deliver a temper-  
ance lecture



2nd Rain All  
Plants are now back  
peach seeds during the  
rain. Plants bed of  
straw berries. P.M. &  
Humboldt & Miller the two horses. <sup>and</sup> Chas.  
3rd Sun cloudy pleasant  
Humboldt & Chas. take a  
load of hay each to city  
get \$17.50 for town  
Bury at City.

Mr Harry Linnell  
Hwy V. plant grove -

Wed. 4 - Lunched Pleasant  
Henry & Flora Church Lovers  
of Henry & Willie May &  
Robert plant graft one  
of Eddie Smith and a  
Colvin May & Wife here to  
dine. Henry for to see  
a man below Plainfield  
about planting some

Ornamentals  
Bealla deliver my  
Every clop in today  
I pay him \$18.00  
and to pay 12.00 every  
two months 'til I pay  
\$96.00 I pay to J. H.  
Sicart 16 Bate Black  
Indps

Thurs - 11th Novemr  
We plant current & on  
birch rose haw rose  
dabbias &c. 1/2, 1/2  
clean 1/2 piece of ground  
for planting std. Pear &  
ding large crab & apple  
to prepare for planting  
potatoes & William's cut  
of the 1 yr ap to the ground  
damaged by the winter  
Charles William & the work  
all day Henry Jr



Fri 6<sup>th</sup> Cloudy All  
Warm sun P.M.  
We transplant 500 Peas  
or 500 Chickens Harry Henry  
D & V Willie's Ike at  
work. & Mr Hunt  
from New York agent  
here tonight they go  
to City.

Sat 7<sup>th</sup> Warm sun  
We plant 500  
potatoes, have time to  
have 500 more getting  
in my place. Sun  
Charles Harry D & V  
Willie's Ike, Libby  
& Eddie at work  
Anna Harris plan & lay  
commencing to blow

Sun 8<sup>th</sup> Warm sun  
Dinner P.M. & get S.S.

Anna & sister & Kaps  
Oley.

Mon 9<sup>th</sup> Warm sun  
We finish planting  
500 after soon after  
dinner transplant  
peas Cherry & P.M.  
Harry plan  
Charles Harry Willie's  
Ike Henry D & V at work

Tues 10<sup>th</sup> Warm sun  
Cloudy We time plant  
cherry stocks Harry  
& plan for corn  
Charles cover the  
soil corn & manure  
in 74 rods for us at 18c  
per rod. 30 in deep  
Charles Harry Willie's  
Ike Henry D & V.  
& Henry Thurbright P.M. at work





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Henry S. Clow for corn  
in Jimmie White field

Balace trim plant

Cherry stocks

Charley Ike Willie

Wm & V Lucy Cary  
or self at work. I don't  
feel well ~~enough~~ much  
like work

Aug. 10<sup>th</sup> HST saw 90' in  
the shade, Charley Miller  
like Henry & V Edder  
Lambert found. Every one  
at work. Henry & others  
for cover. Charley cut out  
a barry & re-balance  
transplant him &  
plant pear plant  
stock & re

Fri 18<sup>th</sup> Hot sun. Fine rain

[illegible]

14<sup>th</sup> The Harrow was out in  
cloudy AM. Began to  
Harrow & plow in for  
corn. Rain fell in  
evening. Temperature  
the thermometer at 10  
F. The Corn was  
at work all day. The  
at noon it began to  
rain & soon the  
15<sup>th</sup> it was a heavy rain  
on the off of the  
morning.







Father starts home in  
the morning. Emory &  
Sophy come in P.M.  
Henry & plow. Charley  
harrows. Willie, Harry &  
Ike & Harry finish planting  
cherry stocks. So come  
trunking

Fri. 10<sup>th</sup> Warm sun  
Ground getting dry &  
hard. Henry & plow  
for corn. Eben Thomsen  
breaks for us P.M.  
Other hands trim from  
cutting. Plant corn.  
Harry & V. Charley, Harry,  
Willie & Ike at work.  
Workman comes in to  
settle up. Emory goes to  
Plainfield to settle with  
White & to see L. Little  
he takes the brook & can't

settle with Workman  
will see him at city  
tomorrow

Sat 11<sup>th</sup> Warm sun  
Henry & plow for corn on  
my place. Charley harrows.  
Ike hoes strawberries.  
Harry V. & Willie trim  
2 yr apple. Sophy goes home.  
Rev. Emory goes to city

Sun 12<sup>th</sup> Warm sun  
We get Immense  
crops. Anna & her son  
& self go to City. We put  
up Sat Rob Harrison Anna  
& self go to Roberts Park  
A.M. to hear Salma  
Anna & self go to Roberts  
Park P.M. to hear Harrison  
the young combatist.  
Emory, Anna & her son Salma  
tonight





23<sup>rd</sup> Warm sun - day  
Charley & Henry to prepare  
corn ground.  
Henry, V. & Willie trim  
apple. John Thompson  
here today to talk  
about packing eggs.  
Rena goes later for a  
few days.

Tue 24<sup>th</sup> Warm sun  
Charley, Horace & Willie  
plant corn  
Henry clear re. Henry V  
& Harry trim Emory not  
able for work

25<sup>th</sup> Warm sun - day  
Charley roles corn  
hauls trash re. Henry &  
prepare plants strip of  
corn next to the woods.  
cultivates re.

Horace & Willie clear out  
cellar trim re. Henry V.  
trim orchard on my  
place. Emory goes to  
Dauville

26<sup>th</sup> Hot sun  
Charley cultivates  
Henry & at work on his  
place. All Horace  
hauling brush re. All  
Harry & Willie picking  
up brush out of apple  
Harry, Horace, Henry & Willie  
pick up & haul ~~out~~  
brush out of apple  
P.M. Henry V. trim orchard  
& peach stocks  
Emory comes back from  
Dauville P.M.

27<sup>th</sup> Hot sun - very  
dry & dusty.



Henry Dagfield Henry  
V & Charley Jones turn  
the road. Horace &  
Willie cultivate trim  
peach stocks haul in  
hay & I trim wagon  
Every gone to And  
Gru Castle on business

28<sup>th</sup> Hot & dusty  
Charley Henry & I work  
the road. We throw  
up work in nursery  
For today I go to city  
to attend Hort. mtg.  
at Henry Mankey's place  
1 1/2 mile south of city  
Small attendance I  
miss the train & put  
up at Jas Trueblood  
over night.

Sun. 29<sup>th</sup> Hot & dusty

I go to Friend & S. L.  
H. M. & to hear Dr.  
Bartlett. Take dinner  
at J. Frieblood's & come  
not home. P.M. with  
Bob Mills. We have  
a good strawberry P.M. the first.  
30<sup>th</sup> Hot & cloudy &  
shower late P.M.  
Henry haul 1 load of  
manure from Harky's  
& 1 load of ash from  
Plainfield. Take  
wagon & machine to shop  
for repair. Henry V &  
I work clean out graft.  
Charley cultivate. Am.  
he & Willie trim our  
Willie pinch back as-  
berries. P.M. I trim  
waggon & Every at  
desk.



31<sup>st</sup> Cloudy & hot  
Good rain tonight  
Charley plows Henry &  
mows grass &  
Willie trim Cherry on  
Henry & clean out graft  
Horace helps P.M.  
I trim again &c.  
Emily at deck.

June - Wed. 1<sup>st</sup>  
Cloudy & warm  
Henry breaks & prepares  
patches of corn ground  
on plant some P.M.  
Horace & Henry & I take  
grafts Willie replant  
corn. Charley cultivate  
I cultivate plant corn  
&c Hunt from Area  
here to see about selling  
stock for us. Emily  
goes to Plainfield P.M.

Thurs. 2<sup>nd</sup> Cloudy, warm  
sun. Henry & Horace  
hor grafts Henry &  
make of prepared corn  
ground. Charley  
cultivates Harry Willie  
Eddie & I replant  
corn.  
Fri 3<sup>rd</sup> Cloudy some sun  
cool wind. Harry Willie,  
Eddie & I replant  
corn. Charley & Henry  
& cultivate &c  
Henry & Horace hor  
grafts & s-berris  
Anna Rena & self pick  
s-berris - boys pick some  
late P.M. about 2 1/2 bu.  
Emily out with a  
fishing party.

Sat 4<sup>th</sup> To Warm sun.  
Anna Olly & self go to



Mountain Plain of Sica - Remained here 14. 80900 ft above  
Redick River 11 days from 150 mi from Sica. Camped in

Mountain of Sica. Korah's rebellion. Sabbath made a tent  
Hornah. When the Service was done to by the people & came out.

7. 4. 2000 ft above sea level. 4500 ft above sea level. Sea level above sea level. Sea level above sea level.

Red Sea. While on this journey. The complement of the ship was  
Edom. Land of Edom - Refused to let us go through the country.

7. 12. 2000 ft above sea level. 4500 ft above sea level. Sea level above sea level. Sea level above sea level.

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Sinai  
Taborah consumed the  
Kiboth hattavah Or nails sent  
~~Haz~~ ~~Am~~ ~~Am~~ ~~Am~~  
Hazerah Micah's lipson  
Wilderness of Paran Spies sent out  
Radish The Israelites complained  
told they should fall in the wild

Flowering Shrub, se. for  
a Crocus - Persian

Silene acaulis  
Siberian  
Siberian Paulownia  
or Linnaea  
Japan Paulownia  
Japanese Maple  
Paeonia stellata  
China Azalea - hardy  
Silver fir - evergreen  
Japanese Maple  
Scarlet  
Liquid amber  
Azalea mollis



city with 2 1/2 bu s-berr  
get back home by 1 P.M.  
Charley cultivate  
Henry V. & Horace for s-berr  
Henry & Willie Lee & Edolie  
finish replanting on nearly  
all. P.M. Henry &  
Willie pile up boxes  
& clear up back yard for  
Lee & Edolie but dock

Sun 5<sup>th</sup> Raining A.M.  
Go to out of Milford &  
Anna Gray here P.M.

Mon 6<sup>th</sup> Cloudy - Drizzly  
some A.M. Henry &  
Grace harness A.M.  
Henry V. hoe in  
grape patch. I hire  
Evergreen the boy's  
not at work A.M.  
Henry & plow P.M. Charley

Henry V. dig dead tree  
in nursery Willie sprout  
grape vine & helps me pick  
strawberries. We pick  
10 gall for Plainfield

Tue 7<sup>th</sup> Cloudy threatening  
rain. We pick 15-bet  
of s-berrries. Quincy take  
1/2 to city He will send  
out stands over will  
ship 3 bu. tomorrow  
Henry & Willie for all  
Henry V. & Charley dig dead  
tree & haul off Henry  
& plow Charley plow  
corn P.M. all other hands  
pick s-berrries.  
We got 3 bu of the finest  
s-berrries I ever saw  
Shapple Frymuth  
Wheeler Abbot Lyngfeller



Wed. 8<sup>th</sup> Heavy rain  
last night & some  
rain till Henry &  
V. have. till Henry V.  
help him clean out  
grape patch. All  
other boys out at work  
very early out now.

Thur. 9<sup>th</sup> Cloudy some  
sun. All Henry &  
have. Load of ~~studs~~  
from Plainfield. Mr.  
Hauls truck & all  
Charley Harry Willie  
Henry V. & Horse have  
Horse come at noon  
J. G. Kingsbury of the  
Harmon. Lady & little  
boy come out at 4.25  
All to see our a-borris,  
return at 6.15 P.M.  
Fred come in from Col.,  
P.M. A Mr. Lince from

Clark Co stops off with  
him. Him is on his  
way to Europe will  
join a party of students  
at City.

Fri 10<sup>th</sup> Sunshine pleasant.  
Charley, Harry, Henry, &  
V. have. Horse have. All  
plow & P.M. Henry &  
have. a load of manure  
from Caney's, hauls over &  
We pick about 18 bu. of  
a-borris. Every take  
some of the finest borris  
to City to exhibit for  
premium. Go up  
with borris at night

Sat 11<sup>th</sup> Sunshine - pleasant  
Charley plow & explain  
Henry & plow & gather  
Henry V. Horse Willie & plow





corn. We plant some  
Hawthorn Evergreen corn  
in drills for fodder  
P.M. Rena goes to city  
Willie goes to city P.M.  
Emily goes to Amos P.M.

13<sup>th</sup> Hot sun.

Go to S. S. on Mt.  
David Newlin & wife  
to dinner - spend P.M.  
John Hunter & Eliza  
Hall call P.M.  
Rena goes to Roberts Park  
Tonight on the train

13<sup>th</sup> Rain & wind last  
night - hot sun today  
Harry & Henry for  
Henry & Willie buy the  
potatoes P.M.  
Charley cuts back aspen  
bushes. Charley, Henry &

plow P.M. Willie buys  
potatoes. Mr. Riber  
lady Prof Stuart  
& lady call to look  
over our s. berries  
late P.M.

June 14<sup>th</sup> Warm sun

Pick s. berries cuttable  
have replant corn &  
Charley, Harry, Henry & W  
& Willie at work. Emily & I  
go to city with s. berries  
have 12 bu. We stay in city.

Wed 15<sup>th</sup> Warm sun

I take 4.20 A.M. train  
for Dayton O to attend  
the Am. Hesperian Assoc-  
iation dinner at 5. about  
9.30 A.M. Put up at the  
Beckle House. City held  
in city Hall. Fair attend-



& representation from  
various states of the Union.  
On account of rain  
we start about 11 a.m.  
Change the money & all  
future outg. to G.W.C.A.

Thurs 16<sup>th</sup> Hot sun  
All the society hear a  
paper from Dr. Warden  
on Evergreens then  
hear from members  
the quality & condition of  
stock in the different  
States & localities. Visit  
the Soldiers Home Bldg.  
& at 5 P.M. are surprised  
with an elegant banquet  
at the reception room  
by the Miami Valley  
Nurseryman Association  
& paper at night by  
Peter Henderson of N.Y. on

market gardening  
around N.Y.

Fri 17. Hot sun rain last  
night. I take the  
8 A.M. train for Chicago  
reach the 12.30 P.M.

Get home at 4.20 P.M.  
Amey went to Canton  
yesterday. Henry &  
plowing. Henry & Henry  
Willie Bentler, back out  
barns. Fred picks a-  
barns &

18<sup>th</sup> Hot sun  
Henry & Chadley plow  
corn. Henry & Willie  
Hoe. Fred takes a-barn  
to City. Leman &  
Jones from Pittsburgh  
here to make arrangements  
for buying stock of us



Beuf. Wright wife &  
Athena & Uncle Barnabas  
here to dinner. They  
met on an Indian Commission  
Ida comes in P.M.

19<sup>th</sup> Sun. Hot sun  
Go to S.S. meeting  
Dr. Rague of Report.  
A clear day before yesterday  
& buried this  
A.M. - large funeral

20<sup>th</sup> Cloudy - showery -  
rain last night  
We trim 14 apple trees  
& got up s-berry plants  
Two Raybold brothers  
from Blue Davis come  
here about s-berry  
plants - sell them 4.00  
now, they come after P.M.  
We commence planting

a bed of Miner's Rill  
Ida from to city A.M.  
she & Mary go to Canada  
on a trip to be gone 3 or 4  
weeks.

Sun 21<sup>st</sup> Cloudy some  
sun We plant a  
bed of Miner's s-berry  
Charley & Henry plow  
Fred & boys pick  
s-berry. Every one  
comes home from Canton  
Charley, Henry & R. Miller  
at work

Wed. 22<sup>nd</sup> Sunshine  
pleasant, Charley  
starts to cut clover  
A.M. but machine not  
in order & don't get to  
cutting till P.M. Henry  
& plow corn & Henry  
& R. Miller hoe s-berry  
Fred & boys pick doctiller





+ a few 2-burrier  
Cory goes to S. Lictes  
I go to City to testify,  
to Dr. Ragans will

Thurs 23<sup>rd</sup>. Sunshine pleasant  
Charley cuts our clover  
Henry & plow corn  
Henry & Willie hoe  
Fred times. Ella & Spry  
very sick with complaint  
of stomach & bowels.  
Haw Furnas here  
gone home. P.M.

Fri 24<sup>th</sup>. Warm sun  
Henry & Charley self  
work at cutting & getting  
in clover. Willie &  
helps P.M. He now has  
Johnny hoe grass P.M.  
Fred times. Henry & plow  
corn. Ella & Spry demand  
last night.

Sat 25<sup>th</sup>. Hot sun  
We finish getting in  
clover. plow corn & re.  
Johnny pulls wood not  
of grapes. Fred times  
& Charley Henry & Willie  
help in the clover. Henry  
& plow. Ella & Spry  
was buried here at  
noon today. Large  
funeral. Bob Furnas  
of family here to dinner

Sun 26<sup>th</sup>. Hot sun cloudy.  
Go to S. S. smtg.  
Cory Fred & P.M. go to  
City tonight to hear Harmon

Mon 27<sup>th</sup>. Hot sun  
Charley Henry & self  
plow nursing stuff &  
corn. Henry & Willie  
hoe. Fred & picks pick  
raspberries





Sund 28<sup>th</sup> Hot - cloudy  
Henry, Chucky, & self  
plow in morning  
Chucky quit about 4 P.M.  
to go into his wheat  
Willie helping his father  
to cut wheat a few days  
Henry & Fred trim  
up for Emory at dusk.

29<sup>th</sup> Hot sun  
Henry & self plow corn  
morning stuff Henry &  
& Fred trim & hoe  
Eddie & Gilbert clean  
out potatoes &c Emory  
goes to Danville Mo. to  
see Wooten about buying  
out Callaway & making  
the parties who in City  
tonight to close trade.  
Emory starts on an ex-  
cursion to Chicago for

there to Elgin to see  
E. H. Ricker & collect  
and drive us

Thurs 30<sup>th</sup> Cloudy warm  
Light shower P.M. late  
Henry & plow corn  
Henry & how Ed & Lee  
clean out raspberries &  
grafts I plow some  
Fred runs the mow  
in Hall's orchard, we cut  
on shares. Haul summer  
load to Richard P.M.

July 1<sup>st</sup> Hazy & cool  
Henry & self work at hay  
machine & take some  
considerable trouble  
Henry & plow corn  
Fred & pick pick rasp-  
berries, send 1 stand & other  
drawn to City by Ex



Hard pick brose  
Amey helps I have  
cosen &

Thur 7<sup>th</sup> Very Hot Ther  
has stood at 94 & 95  
for several days during  
the hottest part of day

Friday 8<sup>th</sup> Hot sun Ther 98°  
Fred goes to City to have teeth  
filled, I now will  
write a paper for S.S.  
convention P.M. Charley  
Henry D. & Willie have  
Amey count stock  
Sarah Morrison her trip

Sat 9<sup>th</sup> Hot & day mercury  
100° in shade. Mother  
Sarah Morrison self  
go to Plainfield to  
S.S. convention  
Fred trim hedge  
Bessie has a high calf today

Charley, Henry, V. & Willie  
have Henry Buffels  
time up - he is making  
preparation to cut his hay

Every go to City P.M.  
Sun 10<sup>th</sup> Hot Mercury 98°  
in shade Go to S.S. I take  
care of Olly getting go to  
milk John Spry &  
Wife Mrs McMillan &  
wife have dinner & their  
here to dinner

Mon 11<sup>th</sup> Hot Mercury  
100° in shade Charley  
Henry V. & Willie have  
clean up 2 1/2 ap.  
Fred house & Amey  
count stock & I get  
machine repaired &  
commence to mow  
Late P.M. for Henry D.



June 10<sup>th</sup> Hot 100° in shade  
I cut grass for Henry &  
have had luck - break pitman  
rod twice Henry & Charley  
& Willie clean out & burn  
corn re Fred trim &

Wed 13<sup>th</sup> Very hot, Fair 100°  
I cut grass for Henry  
Willie Charley & Henry  
clean out corn Row  
Henry & Charley help  
Henry & Willie burn hay Row  
Fred trim & Every not well

Thurs 14<sup>th</sup> Raining snow  
Henry Charley & Willie  
work in corn till now  
on my place  
Charley put in 1/2 PM  
in corn here I mow  
weeds re Every not well  
Fred trim

15<sup>th</sup> Hot Mercury 98°  
Charley Henry & Willie  
finish cleaning out  
corn on my place  
& has snow here Fred  
trim I cut weeds &  
look & thistles in  
back woods Every not well

16<sup>th</sup> Hot 92° in shade  
Much rain badly. Pasture  
badly dried up.  
Charley plow till noon  
don't work PM. Henry  
& Willie clean out corn  
& nursery stuff I give  
up cutting Henry's hay  
bring up chains up All  
take Wilsons horse  
cut Burdock thistles re PM  
Fred trim Every gone  
to city





17<sup>th</sup> Sun. Sprinkles rain  
some A.M. - cooler  
Go to S.S. mtg.

Mon 18<sup>th</sup> Cool at night  
pleasant though the  
day. Willie & self  
plow. I go to B. post  
P.M. after burning  
weed for pig  
Henry cuts weeds.  
Fred horse & Emory  
& Anna & Elly go out to  
Arm collecting P.M.

Tue, 19<sup>th</sup> Hot sun  
very dry Willie & self  
finish plowing corn  
I write P.M. up an essay  
on Raspberries for Nat  
mtg. at Canterbury 23<sup>rd</sup>  
with Fred horse Henry  
cuts weeds & horse

Emory goes to see Levi  
Ballard, P.M., about  
paying his note

Wed. Warm cloudy  
sprinkles rain P.M.  
Charley plow Henry  
cuts weeds & Willie  
& Fred horse. I rig stock  
Emory Anna & Martha  
go to City in back

Thur 21<sup>st</sup> Hot 74°  
Threatening rain - wind  
it badly Charley plow  
P.M. Fred & Willie horse  
some & help Charley  
haul off track for  
a berry bed Henry  
cuts weeds & combs  
cutting out the raspberry  
patch. I work at  
repairing stable make pig  
trough & Emory at work



23<sup>rd</sup> Cloudy & cool  
Missie rail saw Alw  
Charly haul 2 loads of  
ash from Minny's  
haul load of manure  
s-bug beds & Henry cuts  
raspberrys. Willie cuts  
wood in the woods Fred  
hows &c. Every gone to  
Plainfield, P.M. I write  
paper for Hort Mtg on evening

23<sup>rd</sup> Sat. Sunshine  
pleasant. Every go  
to city P.M. I go on  
early A.M. train to  
Cartersburg to attend  
the Hort. mtg. at Saml  
Coxell. Fair attendance  
& pleasant time &  
read a paper on  
raspberrys & return  
P.M. Charly haul two.

loads of ash from  
Plainfield. Henry cuts  
raspberrys. Willie  
piles them. Fred  
hows & scatters ash  
on s-bugs. The boys  
will lay off a few  
days & wait for rain  
ground too dry to work

June 24<sup>th</sup> Warm sun  
Go to S.S. mtg. Fred & Every  
go to Wrights to spend day  
Parrish is pretty sick

Mon. 25<sup>th</sup> Hot sun - very dusty  
I haul 2 loads of ash  
from Plainfield  
Haul some water P.M.  
Fred hows &c.

June 26<sup>th</sup> Warm sun  
some cloudy Henry cuts



wounds & Gaspeberries  
Fred & self help. & take  
o balm straw wounds  
off of the straw berry  
beds.

Wed 27<sup>th</sup> Warm & dry  
Fred how ill. I am  
not well & don't do much  
Aunt Henry finish  
cittins & pelin rasp-  
berry. Fred & self  
haul 500z oats from  
Henry Bradfords Pile  
& put away in the loft  
Pam Sprays baby very  
sick - not expected to  
recover. Han & Bob Sam-  
hun to supper. They go  
to Ruf. Wrights tonight  
Raymond deceased  
at 11 P.M. I have a light  
chill & fever late P.M.

Thur 28<sup>th</sup> Wet & dry  
I am not well - laying  
down most of day visiting  
Henry & Fred cleaning out  
1 yr app. Emily & Sam Miller  
go to Plainfield after coffee  
for Raymond. Emily & Sam  
water tonight. Richard  
Hall over Aunt to talk about  
Henry & going on his place

29<sup>th</sup> Fri. Warm sun cool air  
dry & dusty. I am not  
well - read overite. Pam  
Sprays baby's funeral  
here at 10 P.M. All  
attend except Anna-  
Olly - Olly not well.  
Henry & Fred clean out  
1 yr app. Han Sam-  
hun a while P.M. I do &  
Jenny here tonight I do  
is just returning from Canada





Sat 30<sup>th</sup> Hot sun

I do chore re Fred home  
We haul water for stock  
P.M. Ida & Mary going  
to City P.M. Ida  
goes home P.M.

Parrin Wright here -  
he has been very sick  
& just getting out

31<sup>st</sup> Sun. Hot & dry

Go to S.S. mtg. tall  
but Anna & Polly  
Olly not well. We  
have an invitation to  
Dr. McMillan to dinner  
can't go on Olly's account  
Isaac Furnace & John  
here awhile P.M.

Mon Aug 1<sup>st</sup> Hot today

I shed everything  
P.M. Fred home, we

haul manure from  
Chas. Jones P.M.  
Henry cuts weeds.  
Take Ingle's cattle  
a while later P.M.

Tues 2<sup>nd</sup> Wed. 97° in  
shade pasture dry  
enough to burn  
Cows cooling up & turning  
yellow at bottom of  
it is trying to lactate &  
milk some shrubs  
in yard withering  
no rain to amount to  
anything for weeks.  
Fred & I haul  
manure & water re  
Henry cuts weeds

3<sup>rd</sup> Wed. Wed. 98° in  
shade. I haul a load of  
ash from Plainfield





Alb. So hot heat so  
much. Pl. unloaded  
ashore. Fred not well

4<sup>th</sup> From Mar 10/10 in shade  
120° in sun. Census  
starts to Canton Alb.  
via Lanesville, Fred &  
self haul water & do  
chores &c. Fred not able  
in work. Joshua Hubbard  
& Ben Conrad here to  
drink - they attend  
no mtg.

Fri 5<sup>th</sup> Hot & dusty  
we see Mr Yaeger  
of West Newton on a  
note of \$10.30. He claims  
Lawrence insured his  
tree two years. Ben  
Wright delivered the  
tree & told him we  
did not - or would not.

insure his tree - we  
gave him note & took  
the tree - tree all  
die & he refuses to pay.  
He has lawyer from City  
Thompson & self go  
to Newton Alb. to attend  
the trial. Give lawyer  
note in a demand that  
the suit is not correctly  
brought - the Justice  
decides against him &  
they take a charge of name  
to Squire Dewie & mi  
east of Newton. Fred not  
well & don't do much

Sat 6<sup>th</sup> Hot - cloudy  
sprinkles & little - pretty  
good rain north part  
of city & east. I go to  
city to attend Hot mtg.  
at Kingsberys.



Mtg not very large  
but interesting. Fred  
not well.

Sun, 7<sup>th</sup> Cloudy warm  
Enough rain last night  
to lay the dust  
4 ft to S.E. only tonight

Mon 8<sup>th</sup> Hot sun  
Corn lying up rapidly  
& hardly a green blade  
of grass to be seen,  
Some of the shrubs dying  
from drought. We cut  
hauling water for stock  
& Hunt comes in this  
A.M. & goes to Tanakli P.M.  
Fred digs potatoes

Tues 9<sup>th</sup> Hot sun  
I cut clover A.M.  
Fred digs potatoes they  
are girdling badly

Fred & self rake & haul  
in hay P.M.

Wed, 10<sup>th</sup> Hot sun  
Fred & self haul water A.M.  
Fred finishes cutting the  
clover I write some notes  
Report We haul & stack  
the clover P.M.

Thurs 11<sup>th</sup> Hot & dry;  
I write re Fred hauls  
a load of saw dust A.M.  
from Plainfield & a load  
of manure P.M.  
Anna & Rena go to Plain-  
field A.M.

Fri 12<sup>th</sup> Thurs 104 in  
shade from 1 to 4.30 P.M.  
Put the Thur. in sun on  
south side of a post about  
4 ft from ground between



12 + 1 P.M. & the mercury  
went as high as 81°  
At 6 P.M. the mer. stood  
at 102° Certainly the  
hottest day I ever felt  
Nearly D.L.S. since we  
had more than enough  
rain to lay the dust  
Pasture & meadow  
literally burned up  
corn in some fields  
fired up to the ear  
& can't possibly be  
any corn scarcely if  
we have rain over  
Got a card from Amy  
from N. Albany & letter  
from Al at Canton  
stating that Callister  
died in N.A. on  
the 8<sup>th</sup> inst of flux  
Amy & Andy McCulloch  
take him to Saline

For burial. Fred & self  
have water till, &  
Fred had a load of  
manure from H. J. Ellis  
I do chow cut worse  
Too hot to work P.M.,  
We de-mould manure  
& do feeding

13<sup>th</sup> Sunshine cooler some  
cloudy. Fred & self go  
to City after Fred's  
hand water after we get back

14<sup>th</sup> Sunshine cooler  
Go to S.S. I keep Olly  
& others go to city,  
we all go & just return  
to dinner spend P.M.

15<sup>th</sup> Warm sun cool at  
night. I write & go to  
Report M.M. to order coal





The Squire from  
Newton comes up to  
see us & Thompson about  
our suit with the League.  
We put up stoves to  
Father A's & little Marys  
grapes P.M., Hand water

16<sup>th</sup> Cool night - warm  
sun Henry V. & self  
start to City 4 A.M.  
after Rocky Jellins  
he don't come & we get  
back home at noon  
Fred haul saw dust for  
Plainfield A.M. Henry  
& Fred dig potatoes P.M.  
I write to B. & B. & B. & B.

17<sup>th</sup> Warm sun  
Henry V. & self go to City  
after Rocky Jellins  
Get home 12.30 P.M.

Fred haul wood & saw  
Henry dig potatoes P.M.  
Fred commences budding  
plum on peach. I write  
Cint Beards child <sup>at St. George</sup> ~~discovered~~ today at  
18<sup>th</sup> Cloudy A.M. day

Threatning rain comes  
I work at desk A.M.  
Fred budding Henry  
dig potatoes. I do  
chore & P.M.

19<sup>th</sup> Cloudy all day  
Henry finishes digging  
potatoes. Fred buds  
I trim stove for  
budding & A.M.  
P.M. haul rails & r  
build a pen for July  
pigs in & cut up  
& haul some wood from  
Corry comes home in the  
night



Sat 20<sup>th</sup>. Cloudy &  
threatening rain  
sprinkler & very little  
Fred buds. Easy goes  
to the city. Henry & I  
have half a cart of coal  
& put in bin.

Sund 21<sup>st</sup> Sunshine  
some cloudy. All but  
Am. J. to H. S. meeting  
Mother. Ann. Oly. &  
Fred J. to Bay Water.

Mon 22<sup>nd</sup> Hot sun  
Easy goes to City  
Fred & Henry buds  
I strip bark & shorn

Tues 23<sup>rd</sup> Hot sun  
Fred & Henry buds  
I haul gravel on road  
Nan. Ann. to dinner. Ann.  
Easy goes to Danville. All

Wed 24<sup>th</sup> Hot sun  
I haul gravel on road  
Fred goes to City  
Henry & Charles time  
Cherry & peach  
Easy comes home from  
city. All.

Thur 25<sup>th</sup> Hot sun  
I haul gravel for  
putting about hitching  
post to gate. Fred &  
Henry buds. Charles  
Linn. Apple. Easy  
at duck re

Fri 26<sup>th</sup>. Considerably  
warmer. Ther. 100° in  
shade. Some cloudy. Ann.  
Henry Pincher comes  
in. All. to see about  
buying his stock  
I go over to ~~the~~ ~~the~~



about noon with  
him to take a rig  
for the city to buy on  
fuel. Freight is behind  
time & I don't get  
Rube Walker commences  
to dig a well south of  
the stable P.M. Emory  
Charley clean out the  
well on the J. Conrad  
place P.M. I pick  
grapes - the bees working  
out there badly - Charley  
cuts weeds & P.M.  
Fred & Henry bud peach

Sat. 27<sup>th</sup> Hot sun Th. 98°  
I go to City to see about  
getting some fuel for  
hog pen & to get a drive  
well point for the well  
where John Leray lives.  
The well fails to supply

water for them. Rube, Emory,  
& Charley work at digging  
the well here. Fred &  
Henry finish budding  
the peach trees.

Sun 28<sup>th</sup> Hot sun, Th. 98°  
Go to A.S. mty. Jimmie  
& Willie Wright have  
Luce Edd & Cy McMillan  
here to dinner & find P.M.

Mon 29<sup>th</sup> Hot sun Th. 98°  
I go to city with team  
& bring out a load of manure  
needed for us Wilson.  
Rube makes overhauled  
P.M. Emory Charley Rube  
work at the well P.M.  
Henry cut weeds  
Feed Jack up for school

Tues 30<sup>th</sup> Hot sun Th. 98° some clouds





Fred Barker the 10 AM then  
for city thence to Belmont  
Emory Henry & self put in  
the piping re in the mill  
at John Sprays. Then  
Henry help Charley Ruben  
at the well. Emory fixing  
up some estate box etc.  
I am not well & distant

Wed 31<sup>st</sup> Not what some  
cloudy AM all around  
the horizon. Commence to  
sprinkle rain about 2:30  
PM & continues shower so  
commence again about  
5 PM & continue steady  
rain up to 9 PM

It has been about 2 1/2  
months since we had  
rain to wet the ground.  
The mist prolonged & semi-  
drizzle ever known here

Pastures & meadows  
look as tho they were  
entirely dead. Forest  
trees are shedding their  
leaves, many of them  
& some are dying outright  
notably Buck & Ash.  
Corn on their upland  
will yield no corn.  
Feed & grain vegetables  
are very scarce & high  
prices. I have a load  
of brick from Plainfield  
for walling well.  
Ruben Charley & Henry  
work at digging the well.  
Quit work at 4 PM on  
account of rain.

Thurs Sept 1<sup>st</sup> Cloudy &  
pleasant. Charley  
out with article. AM  
Then he & Emory help





Rube at the well  
Curey self work on our  
price list while Al  
I send turning outside  
haul water re R.M.  
Henry gone to city in hack

Sat 2<sup>nd</sup> Cloudy, light  
sprinkle of rain. P.M.  
Rube & Henry work at  
the well commenced  
borings this A.M. 2 ft  
under 20 ft P.M. the  
auger broke off in the  
ground & can't be got out  
We'll have to bore all over  
again. We have dug 25 ft  
Curey work on price  
list re I think he re  
Olly not well - take  
him to Dr. P.M.

Sat 3<sup>rd</sup> Cloudy - foggy

& misty early A.M.  
Curey & Sam Mills  
go to city in buggy  
I haul water do  
churns re  
Henry had a boy  
born to him last  
night & don't work  
today. Charles cutting  
corn for J. Mills &

Sun 4<sup>th</sup> The Clouds rushing  
so to S.S. come here  
after S.S. & take care  
of Olly - he is not well

Mon. 5<sup>th</sup> Hot sun  
Rube at work boring  
in the well. Curey  
Henry self help &  
work at the well.  
Wm John Spry lives



Sept 6<sup>th</sup> Not seen Ther. 9<sup>th</sup>  
Henry, Emory, Reibe  
self, born in the well  
A.M. about 11 A.M. we  
strike sand & gravel &  
think we have water  
but it does not come  
up to where we have  
 dug. Emory looking  
after some piping &  
Old Henry goes  
to Plainfield after brick  
I water stock clean out  
shop & go to City on  
6 P.M. train on my way  
to Cin. to attend the  
Miss. Valley Hort. mtg.  
I go as delegate from  
the State Soc. Put  
up at Jas. S. Lamberts  
over night.

7<sup>th</sup> Not seen

I leave City at 6.30 A.M.  
for Cin. Arrive about 11  
P.M. I go to Exposition  
building. Rm. 5 find  
a few delegates in to  
attend the Hort. mtg.  
The Soc. makes Jan  
exhibit in connection  
with the Exposition.  
Hold a short mtg.  
in Ex. building at  
2.30 P.M. appoint  
some com. & adjs.  
to meet at 10 A.M.  
tomorrow at the Union  
Church cor. of Plum & 8<sup>th</sup>.  
Look through Exposition  
Rm. - fine display  
of foliage plants.  
See the Art & Natural  
History department.  
Parker, Earl, J. S. Rajan  
S. M. Tracy, Dick & H.



+ self stop at the Ocean  
House Opposite the Ex-  
building.

8<sup>th</sup> ~~Thurs.~~ Hot sultry  
The W. V. Soc. meets at  
10.30 Decker & self  
look through the  
market & Commission  
houses early AM.  
Soc. met on time  
Parker Earl in the chair  
Hirst had a paper  
from J. J. Lyon on apple  
followed by discussion of same  
The Soc. then considered  
its future policy &  
elected Officers. Adjourned  
for dinner. Some of us  
dine with Dr. Waider  
at the Emory.  
Soc. met at 2 PM  
Mr Campbell read an

excellent paper on  
grapes. Followed by dis-  
Dr. Waider followed on the  
habits of grapes  
J. S. Ragade followed with a  
paper on the Peach.  
After report of Com. on  
protection to refrigerator of  
new fruit adjourned  
to 10 AM tomorrow.

Fri 9<sup>th</sup> Hot & sultry  
Soc. meets on time  
Dr. Waider welcomed the  
soc. & the Pres. replied  
Dr. W. then gave a  
short address on fruit  
schools. J. Decker  
gave discussion on  
small fruits. Then  
followed general dis-  
on fruit blight &c  
then adjourned. Similar





Dr. Warden, Mr. Campbell  
J. S. Rafan & then is four  
others start for Best  
tonight & tomorrow to  
Attend Am. Pencil Soc.  
I visit Spring Spring  
Cemetery. Rev. F. H.  
Cann. is world renowned  
for its landscaping &  
natural beauty.  
I see here some very fine  
specimens of Eng. Hard Maple  
Sweet Gum. Blue &  
Black Spruce &  
Last night I go up  
to the High Land House  
on the inclined plane.  
The high lands here are  
over 1000 ft above city.  
Give a magnificent  
view of the city.

Sat 10<sup>th</sup> Hot sun more

buy. Some rain P.M.  
I take easy look  
through the Exposition  
& take the 8.30 train  
for Ind. Pl. Arrive at  
12.30. Evening meeting here  
at Supr. W. H. H. H.  
some bus. & some home  
at 4 P.M. Rub. H. H.  
at work on new wall  
dig about 7 ft & come to  
shanty first floor of water  
dig altogether 14 ft.

Sun 11<sup>th</sup> Sunshine pleasant  
Anna & I go to mtg.  
Olley not well. Mother  
Keeps him & get some  
medicine for him P.M.  
Running off at brook &  
first.

Mon. 12<sup>th</sup> Cool night morning



Ollie quite sick all day tonight. Henry cuts corn. I cover raspberry trees. Emily goes to City in p.m.

Tues, 13<sup>th</sup> Cool morning warm sun

Henry & self cut corn. Emily goes to Danville on estate land. Ollie still very sick. Hire Dr to see him. P.m. Henry Lincher wither from City out P.m. to see about buying nursery stock for our other party.

Wed 14<sup>th</sup> Warm cloudy P.m. & the calico rain. Henry & self get corn. I saw seed corn. Emily visiting re

Francis Pitchard comes in this P.m. to attend family visit. <sup>Ollie seems better we think</sup> 15<sup>th</sup> Clear and raining latter part of night & continues. Emily rain all day & is raining at bed time. I self work at desk & Aunt Joe comes in on 4 P.m. train. Ollie seems better.

Fri 16<sup>th</sup> Rainy gently all day. Dr. Chase and wife. Aunt Joe comes in P.m. Think Ollie seems better.

Fri 16<sup>th</sup> Cloudy some sun P.m. Aunt Joe mother goes to family



mtg. Emory & Lee  
Zinnimma taken  
Rocky fellow to city  
to ship home  
Charley & Henry cutting  
corn I go to Bporth  
45 chonoe A.M.  
cover raspberry tips re  
Pete Olly sick at  
his stomach some Am  
very stupid.

17<sup>th</sup> Warm sun  
Charley & Henry husk  
corn for hog, cut fodder  
& haul in corn fodder  
I cut corn & Emory &  
self put in pump. P.M.  
Olly some better

18<sup>th</sup> Warm sun  
All but Anna & Olly  
go to yearly meeting

Got Aunt Rachel & Family  
to stay with them  
meeting large & interesting  
preaching day

19<sup>th</sup> Warm sun  
Charley Lee & Ed  
Zinnimma cover  
raspberry tips  
Emory bade Henry ties  
I help some Ed  
clean away for us  
P.M. Now I go  
to mtg. today Olly  
better

Tue. 20<sup>th</sup> Ther 87° in shade  
Hot sun. Emory bade  
Henry & Henry ties I tie  
some poplar bark re  
Charley cover raspberry  
tips P.M. Haul loads  
saw dust P.M. Eddie & Lee





cover raspberry tips.  
Eddie clean off stock  
for budding P.M.  
Aunt Jn. & mother go to  
grocery mktg. We heard  
one Caffery daughter here.  
Wed. 21<sup>st</sup> 11th sun. Ther -  
90° in shade. Every body  
cherry Henry tie &  
prepare bark buds on  
Charley hand saw last  
fodder. Gavel work  
Mother & Aunt Jn. go to  
grocery mktg.

Thurs 22<sup>nd</sup> 11th sun  
Every goes to City for  
them to Canton  
Mother & Aunt Jn. go to  
grocery mktg. Aunt Jn. take  
train there P.M. for  
Saleen. Mktg. close  
today. Charley buds

Fri 23<sup>rd</sup> 11th sun  
Cloudy P.M.  
Every goes to City  
now. Some then to  
Canton Aug 1st &  
mother go to grocery  
mktg. Aunt Jn. take train  
at Plainfield P.M. for  
Saleen. Henry & self  
bud Charley clean  
away for us P.M.  
He is off P.M. fixing  
to make cider.

Fri 23<sup>rd</sup> 11th sun  
Cloudy  
threatening rain P.M.  
Henry & self bud  
have been today  
for Farmace chow  
home with a wife P.M.  
24<sup>th</sup> Warm sun. high  
wind all day





Henry & self bud AM.  
Henry buds PM. &  
pack eggs fr to B. for  
re. Charley cuts corn  
Buy Abington here tonight  
Sun 25<sup>th</sup> - to train sun -  
Cloudy. Buy A. go  
to Richard Hall &  
elsewhere today.  
Anna & self go to  
mtg. - no S. & S. with  
Keturah Oddy. V. go on  
to Mills with Oddy  
a while PM.

Mon 26<sup>th</sup> Cloudy - hot  
Charley & Henry cut  
corn. I go to see  
J. Lammie about  
getting up straw for  
bailage. Ans. correspond.  
Ella Hunt & two  
children come this PM. for  
a short visit to attend Fair

Tues 27<sup>th</sup> Cloudy & hot  
threatening rain.  
Henry & self bud pear  
& cherry AM. Cloudy  
clean off stock. Cut  
corn. Charley & self  
finish cutting corn PM.

Wed 28<sup>th</sup> Cloudy & damp  
Henry & self haul load  
of fodder re. AM.  
Walter apples PM.  
Anna & self attend the  
wedding of Mira Hole  
& Robt. McPhee at S. P. A.

Thurs 29<sup>th</sup> Sunnier, warm,  
windy. I go to State Fair  
Pretty good - large attendance  
George Young comes out  
& stays over night with  
us. Aunt Jo here tonight  
Henry gathering apples



Fri 30<sup>th</sup> Cloudy <sup>commenced raining about 10 P.M.</sup> wind  
Mother Aunt Jy & Ella  
self go to Fair in  
Wheeler hack Aunt Jy &  
Ella go home P.M.  
Ella's baby not well  
Mr Stockwell of  
Clondale Ind comes out  
with me P.M. to look  
over nursery. Want stock  
ken over night. Boy &  
Charley Henry gather up.

Sat Oct 1<sup>st</sup> Some rain  
last night & raining all  
day. I am at desk  
writing re. Charley &  
Henry husk corn in  
shed a couple of hrs. Am  
then throw up masses  
of grain. Henry &  
Stockwell go home  
A.M.

Sun 2<sup>nd</sup> Commenced  
to rain about 8 P.M.  
& continue all night  
I go to S.S. meeting.  
An Italian beggar  
comes in while we are  
at dinner - sleeps  
under the straw shed tonight.

Mon 3<sup>rd</sup> Raining all  
& shower some P.M.  
Rain last night  
I write A.M. Henry  
& Charley gather apples  
P.M. Car load of apples  
from Canton arrive at B. P.M.  
Archibald <sup>dealer</sup> here to get stock  
Tue 4<sup>th</sup> Some rain last  
night Cloudy A.M.  
Rain all P.M. Charley  
goes to Slabtown with  
apples to get made into  
cider Henry self



break up huling ground.  
All fix well of Willie  
& Fanny help clear off  
huling ground plant  
Bedwell & berry &c  
P.M. Fanny win-lable  
Willie & Henry grind  
spades & haul shuck  
corn & white &c

Wed, 5<sup>th</sup> Cool last  
night cleared off in  
the night. Sudden  
cool in shade. Charly  
Henry & self unload &  
haul Cdn of apple  
Willie & Fanny help  
to haul in Maria  
Lorenson here today

Thur 6<sup>th</sup> Cloudy & Cool  
Charly Henry Willie  
& Fanny haul in turn

Galton in Apples &c  
I go to City in back  
after turn feed &c

Fri 7<sup>th</sup> Cloudy warmer  
I saw writing most of  
day. Charly Henry  
haul corn wood  
straw &c. Willie & Fanny  
move hay fodder out of  
shed clear off huling  
ground strip of chug &c  
Mother Ann go to  
John Keelin to find R.M.

Sat 8<sup>th</sup> Cloudy & showery  
late P.M. Charly Henry  
Willie & Fanny at work  
cover asparagus to  
big chug &c. Henry  
chase in on a fright  
tough all gone to bed





9<sup>th</sup> Sun. Sunshine & warm  
Grass growing & with  
resemble early spring  
Go to S. S. meeting &  
John Wadley, wife &  
preach ~~the~~ <sup>the</sup> ~~the~~ <sup>the</sup>

To John Wadley wife, her tent  
10<sup>th</sup> Wed. Charles & Henry  
have dinner at 11.00.  
Willie & Lenny trench  
for ap. Henry & self  
put up two bales of  
turf for Lench at City  
Charles hauls up straw  
& Henry, Fred & Will.  
dig cherry arbutus  
P.M. Rema-hen to buy  
again. Lenny at R. for  
Rai from Salem comes  
in late P.M. We get  
peach & out bring  
the horse

11<sup>th</sup> Thu. Cool dark night &  
early AM Sunshine most  
of day. Cloudy P.M.  
Charles, Henry, Lenny  
& Mrs. Mustie & self load  
car of apple & send in  
Lenny & son to City. Anna  
goes to see Rachel Brown. P.M.  
~~Henry~~

Wed. 12<sup>th</sup> Cloudy & windy  
raining late P.M.  
Mustie, Willie, Lenny  
trench send in stock  
Charles, Henry & Lenny  
go to City with couple  
of teams after pear  
& Charles takes up a lot  
of furs for H. S. Linsker  
Anna & Henry have tonight  
John Spring moves to Dix Pointe  
Thur. 13<sup>th</sup> Raining most of  
night frequent showers  
A.M. Drizzling snow P.M.



Charley Henry self  
unloads the two wagon  
of Pear shed in Musten  
then P.M. All hnd in  
pear P.M. Ed Miller  
& Clara Chadwick are  
married at 4.30 P.M.  
They start to Ohio on the  
6 P.M. train on a visit

Fri 14<sup>th</sup> Damp & drizzly  
Get up & bale 2 bundles  
of tobacco for Jimmy & Harry  
& Charley taken them to  
city & bring back a  
box of Olives Musten  
H. & W. Miller Jimmy  
self. Cile out stock  
for Harry, Milton,  
& all pack in a bag  
In all stake it to Depot  
P.M. Jimmy not with  
Go to city to look after for

Sat 15<sup>th</sup> Cloudy & rain  
Late P.M. Charley  
taken 1 box for Harry  
1 bale for Milton & Sam  
1 bale for Bennett to  
city & bring back 1 box  
of plums & heads  
Jimmy (2 boxes) for  
Bapt Depot. " "  
Musten Henry Miller  
Jimmy self Get bale  
stock for Charley to take  
to city - get up & pack  
stake to Depot box of  
stock for Al - Get up  
stock for Bennett &  
Harry & some for  
Royalty; Amy go to city

Sun 16<sup>th</sup> The Cloudy & damp  
Go to S.S. out to Bapt  
to city P.M. & Thrice thought  
Musten & Quinn; Go to S. Little P.M.



Mon 17<sup>th</sup> Cloudy & Rain  
P.M. Charley goes to City  
with box of stock for  
A. J. Royalty & bale for  
W. C. Bennett. Mustin, Henry  
Willie, Tommy & Peter  
here in evening. Plan  
Pearl will cut some P.M.  
for Lincher. Lincher comes  
in at 10 A.M. Train  
E. V. Lear comes out at  
8 A.M. after stock.  
Charley comes out with box  
from Stans H. Co.

Tues 18<sup>th</sup> Cool & Cloudy  
Charley goes to City  
with 1 bale for Bennett  
& for Young Bros & bring  
out 1 box for Young Bros.  
Lincher calls out  
Leabian & Sugarman  
We box Lebanon

& get up a box new box  
for Lear. Every go  
to Danville on Saturday.

Wed. 19<sup>th</sup> Frost last  
night for the first  
time here this fall.  
Sunshine most of day  
Reading takes 3 boxes  
for Linch to City our  
team take two for  
Lincher & on for Lear  
Lincher starts to  
Lebanon P.M. to deliver  
tomorrow. Every go to  
City to look after freight  
re. Ol. Reagan comes  
A.M. to take Lincher  
place at billing. All  
hands. Must Willie, Henry,  
John, Pete, Horace  
work on all bills





Thurs 20<sup>th</sup> Considerable frost  
some ice - the first of the  
season. Clear warm sun.  
Charley taken up a load  
of stock for H. S. Linschen  
brings back a load of  
leeches. Master Henry  
Willie John Pete Horace  
o Ragas get up Linschen  
Ill stock, Chamberlain boxing  
it R.M. Buy Hole making  
boxes.

Fri 21<sup>st</sup> Heavy frost - warm  
sun. Charley taken a  
box to City for Harry  
a small bundle for Willie  
o small bale for Bennett  
brings back a load of  
corn. Master Henry Willie  
Horace John Pete only  
get up 8 boxes. Frost  
stock for Holland o  
pack Linschen 12 boxes

Sat 22<sup>nd</sup> Buy Hole  
making boxes. Workman  
here to stay to get stock  
Benny goes to Newton R.M.  
with Thompson to comfort-  
miss with Yeager in  
our suit with him. We  
find he is law proof want  
to withdraw the suit.

Sat 22<sup>nd</sup> Frost - warm  
sun. Master Benny o  
Henry, Frank. Linschen  
12 boxes for Ill to Sept.  
Charley goes to City  
with box of cheese for  
Mrs Holland 1 bale for  
Harry o 1 for Royalty  
brings back a box of  
stems H. Co. Horace Pete  
John Willie only get  
up cheese raspling re  
Buy make boxes





Sun 23<sup>rd</sup> Raining most  
of P.M. Late tired  
to stay at home rest  
mother & Emory go to Mt.  
Emory goes to city on F.  
Fright tonight to Salem

Mon 24<sup>th</sup> Drizzling more  
or less during day  
Charley Henry Willie  
Pete John Muste at work  
Horace new P.M.

Muste Henry Pete  
John myself load 12 big  
boxes in a coal car  
for Fincher I'll deliver  
Me strip & dig apple

Tues 25<sup>th</sup> Sunshine pleasant  
Charley goes to City after  
box of Grape &c  
Muste Henry John Pete  
Willie Horace strip &

dig apple, Mr. Brown  
of Bedford comes in  
P.M. to bill out stock  
he has sold

Wed 26<sup>th</sup> Pleasant sunshine

Mr. Brown writing out  
his lables. Charley out  
from P.M. from P.M. have  
come & Muste Henry Pete  
John Willie Horace self  
got up workman H. F.  
Fincher & other bill  
Emory Hunt come in  
P.M. then tonight writing  
lables.

Thur. 27<sup>th</sup> Warm sun  
cloudy P.M. Charley  
takes up a big load  
of stock to City for H. F.  
& Fincher. Muste Horace  
Henry John Pete Willie  
Hunt & his two men with  
teams got up Hunt's stock



For Whitcomb & Franklin  
get it up about dark  
then load the two wagons  
eat supper & they pull  
out. Brown & Miller get  
up. Turner P.M.

Feb 28<sup>th</sup> Raining sun  
during the night & all  
P.M. Must. Charles  
Horace Henry Pete John  
Leroy Brown only left  
& bile out Brown & Horace

Feb 29<sup>th</sup> Cloudy sun  
sun. Brown goes to  
City. All home from  
there. We finish billing  
out his stock & haul it  
up to Depot. W.M.  
'Til after dark to get it  
off. Must. Charles Henry  
Horace Pete & John at work

Mar 30<sup>th</sup> Sun. in pleasant  
I go to Sport. A.M., to bile  
out Brown boxes, back  
P.M. to Mtg. to Mtg. at  
Friend Church tonight.

Mon. 31<sup>st</sup> Cloudy, cool & daisy  
All snow sun P.M.  
Cloudy. Go to Whitson  
after grape vine & the  
Archibald comes in. All  
bills out snow sun & all P.M.  
Must. Horace Henry  
Pete John Miller & Henry  
at work.

Mon. 1<sup>st</sup> Cloudy & cool  
We finish billing out  
Archibald. Write Palmer  
bills about 11 P.M.  
Archibald, taken on P.M.  
train for City. Medley  
stock P.M.



Muste Charley Horner  
Henry Willie John Pate  
at work Charley goes to City

Wed 2<sup>nd</sup> Damp Cloudy  
All Rain all PM

John Gomberrin had i  
stock & all Charley  
Henry Willie at work  
then up at noon made  
of Rain

Thurs 3<sup>rd</sup> Cloudy & cool  
then but Charley at work  
he goes to City with  
5 bales of tallow for North Sale  
I write most of day  
Charley & self get up &  
bale a little tallow for  
roamer & one for Paint  
I go to B. fort to see  
about getting some more  
to go to North Sale to  
collect balance due from

Archibald Harry  
Sevender will go.

Frid. 4<sup>th</sup> Cool & cloudy  
Sunshi PM. Martha &  
Anna go to City to trade  
Charley Henry & self  
get up Hunt bill for  
Franklin Had in stock  
have cow & Dairie come  
up after Hunt stock  
get off at 2 P.M.

Sat. 5<sup>th</sup> Cloudy & cool  
Heavy frost & ice this  
morning. Martha Anna  
go to Plainfield Charley  
into Martha Wilson  
ceffies home with the  
other tonight Every  
one home PM  
Charley goes to City after  
two from Milhouse &





3 boxes of stock come  
in from Nichols & Lorton  
Henry & Willie help  
wait on cotton - live  
in stock & I get  
telegram to meet  
Fletcher in city &  
settle Strauder Byler  
& self go up in buggy  
I meet Lincke & Rags  
on the street we go to  
Shuman House settle  
up - I deposit money in  
Bank & come out then  
with John Shordmange in  
buggy

June 6<sup>th</sup> Pleasant sunshine  
All but Annie & Olly go  
to meet. Anna Olly self  
go to David Newton  
to dinner spend the  
P.M. with Anna &

to out tonight I stay  
with Olly.

Mon 8<sup>th</sup> Raining All  
Henry Miller go to city  
Charley self heel in  
stock & P.M. Emory  
go to city P.M. after  
Apple from Graham &  
Walker Lenneman  
come in P.M. write  
up his table

Tues 9<sup>th</sup> Cloudy All  
raining P.M. Henry, Willie,  
Charley, Emory, Lenneman  
self get ready for billing  
checked for Monte Horan  
& Franny to help get up  
Lenneman then two  
waggon come in about  
noon for the tea by  
working close & in the car



They get off betw 2 &  
3 P.M. & M. turn  
up for the remainder  
of day

Wed. 9<sup>th</sup> Cloudy somewhat  
cool. Hub in apple  
in saw dust. Make  
grape cuttings. Cut quince  
wood, &c. Henry, Charley,  
Willie at work.

10<sup>th</sup> Cloudy & cool  
Henry & Willie at work  
Cut quince wood take  
up Dahlia & Pea Rose  
Gladiolus &c & get  
up 4 small hills

Fri. 11<sup>th</sup> Commences to  
rain about 10 A.M.  
& continues all day  
& into the night

Charley, Henry  
haul wood & fodder  
the rain comes up. The  
Charley, Henry & Willie  
make cucumber cuttings  
& husk corn. Emory  
goes to City. I write  
help make cuttings &c

Sat. 12<sup>th</sup> Cloudy - cold wind.  
Anna & self go to City to  
trade. Take dinner at  
Robt. Furnace, meet Eva  
& stand there. I call on  
Jim Hollnack. He is  
just up from 6 weeks of  
Typhoid fever - wife  
has been sick there  
weeks with same disease.  
Emory Hunt here to settle  
up today. He & Emory go to  
And. P.M.



Sun 13<sup>th</sup> Cloudy & cool  
Go to S. S. outg. stony  
at Spirit. P.M.  
Lhs new preacher Mr.  
Switzer is a young fresh  
kind & interesting preacher  
dinner a full house -

Mon 14<sup>th</sup> Cloudy & cool  
Henry & Willie haul  
fodder A.M. Edna &  
self bed peach & wash  
Charley hauls a load  
of saw dust from Plain  
field One for the cubs  
Henry, Willie & self  
wash apple stocks

15<sup>th</sup> Sunshine - cool  
Ground frozen hard  
enough to bar me up  
Charley hauls a load  
of saw dust from Plainfield

& straw manure from  
straw stack. Henry, Willie  
& Edna take the cows to  
Dan Milkhouse A.M.

We stack up boxes &  
clean out & fix up calf  
shed. Fix for making  
straw shed for cow  
Edna goes to City  
John Milkhouse & family call tonight

Tue 16<sup>th</sup> Cool warmer  
Ground frozen.  
Charley hauls straw manure  
wood & plow a piece  
of ground for cutting  
Henry & Willie self  
haul in apple stock  
We & Edna wash apple  
stocks P.M.

Thur 17<sup>th</sup> Warmer raining  
some A.M. & late P.M.  
Charley hauls manure





12 AM. Henry & myself  
will self wash ap-  
stock. till rain come up  
then make cuttings of  
Quince. PM. Charles & Henry  
will self wash stock  
Every gone to Report on

Fri 18<sup>th</sup> Rain Rain  
Almost constant hard  
rain for more than  
24 hrs & still raining  
hard at bed time.

Ground covered with  
water in low places &  
all streams very high  
The water accumulated  
so fast in the drain  
East of house that  
the water cannot all escape  
& backs up into cellar  
& in dup. Floate apples  
&c. Every & self open a

ditch & take up the  
tile up to the concrete  
of the cellar tile with  
masonry & give outlet  
& make a hole through  
concrete floor to tile in  
cellar & water come off  
readily. The work in rain  
& in water up to knees  
until 11 AM. - Got wet  
nearly all day. Make  
out import order re PM.

Sat 19<sup>th</sup> Cloudy & cold  
Sunny blowing  
Every & self go to City  
Water very high  
Eagle creek bridge  
slut some & rather  
dangerous crossing.  
We come back facing  
the cold wind & suffer  
from cold





Sun. Sunshine - cool  
Go to S.S. visit  
Mother Anna & only  
go to Mrs Sprays to den  
Willie Sprays with  
New Spray of family then  
I go up to see Rachel  
Bradson P.M. she is  
pretty lively

Mon 21<sup>st</sup> Cloudy snowing  
some Henry & self  
cut & put in pasture  
for the cow shed re  
every part in some wind  
lights re

Tues 22<sup>nd</sup> Sunshine  
cool Willie Henry  
self pack away crops  
pack 4 M for Marshall  
take to depot. Cut corn  
re. Every fruit to City

Stansbury from City  
men to see about selling  
trees

Wed 23<sup>rd</sup> Cloudy & cool  
Charley & Henry haul  
 fodder All the fit  
shed for corn & put straw  
in. Cut corn & white. P.M.  
Anna goes to Uncle Phil's  
to eat Frank's giving turkey

Thurs 24<sup>th</sup> Cold - sunshine  
commenced getting cold  
Yesterday P.M. strong  
wind All night Mercury  
13° abn 0 this morning  
Charley, Henry & self  
strip leaves off of corn  
husk corn re. Henry  
came out All return P.M.

Fri 25<sup>th</sup> Mercury 10° abn 0  
Sunshine All cloudy P.M.



Charley Henry have  
fodder A.M. I have  
come. We cut some  
P.M. Emory goes to City

Sat. 26<sup>th</sup> Frost covered  
with snow this morning  
& spitting snow much of  
A.M. Then comes out  
about noon clear &  
sunshiny pleasant P.M.  
Charley husks corn  
Emory doing chore  
I go to City to meet  
Anna & take her to  
John Morrison & have  
8 teeth drawn

Sun 27<sup>th</sup> Frosty - sunshiny  
though - pleasant  
I go to S.S. Olley threatened  
with croup latter part of  
night we get up early

apply cold clothes to his  
throat & bathe his feet  
in warm water - this  
seems to loosen up cold &  
the croupal cough leave  
him & he seems better - but  
poorly all day, so that  
we watch him closely.  
Emory & mother go to  
Prof. Wrights & return late

Mon 28<sup>th</sup> Sunshine Spring like  
& pleasant Emory Henry  
Charley self cut some  
Olley's cold seems to be settling  
on his lungs I get of Dr  
Maucker this A.M. a pre-  
scription of Quinine, syrup  
of squills & anemine. We give  
this up to 4 P.M. without  
any apparent change for the  
better. I go to Dr. Briggs  
(Dr Maucker & Foke away)



about 4 P.M. I describe  
case & tell him I think  
it is taking on the form  
of pneumonia - he seems to  
think so & prescribe Quinine  
Syrup of Sassa & oil of Anisum  
Bathed feet in warm water  
& applying warm musch  
powder to back & chest  
We give syrup better feet &  
apply musch powder about  
5 P.M. he continues to grow worse  
breathing getting more difficult  
both lungs seeming to be filling  
up & chest heaving at every  
breath. Early Morn for Dr.  
Griggs about 8 A.M.  
He labours faithfully  
with him up to 10 O.C.  
the case growing more  
hopeless Early Morn for  
Dr. Ragan of Plainfield  
for consultation about 11 O.C.

he gets here about 12.30  
in the mean time we had  
applied blister to breast  
Dr. Ragan saw case was desperate  
& some relief must ensue  
if at all. They decided to  
banish him notwithstanding  
his weakness We give 3  
extremely large doses of an-  
emetic & a decent cathar-  
tic full of salt & all the water  
he will drink before he  
vomits he then vomits  
twice & not much phlegm  
This gives <sup>a little</sup> temporary relief  
in breathing - but is soon as  
bad as ever breathing only  
from top of lungs with great  
effort & distressing at every  
breath. We give an Opiate  
a little brandy every hour  
the patient growing weaker  
& breathing more difficult





Line, 29<sup>th</sup> Saw saw cloudy warm  
Charley & Honey cut wood &c

at 7.30 AM Dr Ragan went  
home, thinking he could  
not survive till noon  
Dr Briggs remained till about  
3 PM. When he left to see a  
patient not expecting to see  
old living on his return  
We gave opiate & brandy through  
the day. I laid down to rest  
about 3 PM. Got up at 4.00.  
Found him weaker & hopeless,  
beyond recovery I thought  
Dr Briggs had returned &  
ordered a poultice of Onion  
grind in Lard applied  
to front & back of chest  
I had suggested this before  
& was pleased to have it done  
as I wanted to do something  
as long as there was life  
About this time we sent  
word to Dr Ragan to come  
& see him again

Wilson Spray & Aaron  
At. Van. Annin McMiller,  
Sally Ann Wright & other  
came in during the day  
The poultice was applied  
about 5 PM by 6.00 a marked  
change had taken place  
in his breathing it being  
easier easier Dr Ragan  
came in about 8 PM &  
was very much pleased &  
encouraged to see the change  
he soon returned home Dr  
Briggs remaining all night  
We administered Saff. Brandy  
& Quinine during the night  
& the improvement is  
very rapid.  
Wed. 30<sup>th</sup> Cloudy & threatening  
rain. Boys huck corn & cut  
cane &c. Dr Ragan came  
in about 9 AM & was much  
astonished to see the marked



improvement in Olly.  
He slept well & his breathing  
was easy & apparently natural.  
He ate some & was out of the  
cradle most of time & was  
awake looking at picture  
playing Dr. R. think it  
not necessary to come back  
again. The improve-  
ment in during the day  
until he don't seem like the  
same child. Dr. Griggs &  
wife come in after supper.  
Dr. thinks not necessary to  
bring to return. John  
Thompson here tonight.  
Olly sister will

Sat. 1st Cloudy cool  
some rain last night.  
Olly awake about 9 AM.  
he is washed & dressed in  
his ordinary clothes. Hannah

stables put on chest back  
in place of poutlier. He ate  
heartily & is in the floor  
playing some during the  
day. John & Henry go to  
city. Charles Henry cut  
some John M. Millard  
rotten had a young horse  
down about 10 AM. When  
the horse sang in his jaw  
just they being tied he rolled  
over on his right leg  
breaking both bones about  
3 inches below the knee. Dr. Griggs  
Rags set limb in plaster.  
Rags Mott only go up to  
see him tonight. - He is  
resting quite comfortably  
under the circumstances.

Fri. 2nd Cloudy cool air  
Charles Henry self put  
out Quince Cuttings & cut



scut cims. Emory at  
sick. Olly still improving

Sat 3<sup>rd</sup> Cloudy & warm  
Charley Henry & self  
mucke Quiver cuttings  
fix stock shed. Cut  
cims &c. Emory goes  
to City Riv. after two  
apple from Millhouse

Sun 4<sup>th</sup> Cloudy pleasant  
go to S.S. meeting  
& Olly at home. I go  
to mts at night

Mon 5<sup>th</sup> Cloudy - sun-  
shiny pleasant  
Charley goes to City  
after two apple from  
Millhouse Henry lunch  
corn &c. he & self cut  
cims &c. All Enmark

Catalpa fix up on  
it for Geo. Staunbury  
for selling. Emory John  
Thompson & Staunbury  
go to Greenwood to  
see nursery stock

Tue 6<sup>th</sup> Cloudy threatening  
rain. I am writing  
most of day Charley  
& Henry haul fodder  
Mother & Anna go to  
John McMillan Riv.

Wed 7<sup>th</sup> Cloudy & cold. All  
quiescent - no more Riv.  
Charley Henry & self cut  
cims &c. Ellie Lawrence  
comes in Riv. for an outfit  
I fit him out. She starts  
not asking tomorrow  
any more tonight





Thu 8<sup>th</sup> Sunshine & cloud  
Cool air. I go to City  
to see about the hog  
market & disposition of  
our 10 head. Charles  
not at work. Henry  
strip head off of cinn  
Cut Guinea cuttings &c

Fri 9<sup>th</sup> Sunshine cool air  
Fine day for work.  
Charles & Henry finish  
hauling in fodder  
that was corn out  
Charles then hauls out  
stark to the road.  
Henry & self husk cor  
& cut cinn. & Mr.  
Strut from the city  
cure out after some  
grape vines &c, here  
to dinner

Sat 10<sup>th</sup> Sunshine almost  
clear cool air. Anna  
goes to City to have  
her teeth worked on.  
Charles goes to City  
with S. & Havis. Henry  
& self bring the 2 cows  
India from Dan Melham  
Cut cinn &c

Sun 11<sup>th</sup> Cloudy & cool  
A light snow early AM  
I go to S. S. & to Spokanto  
Rd. The snow a sort of fiction  
on the account of wanting us.

Mon 12<sup>th</sup> Raining most  
all day. Early of the  
Thompson go to Grinnell  
to see the Charles & Henry  
husk corn. Charles & self  
te, register & back away cinn  
Recd at home. Some few days  
Augustus & Grace from Whiteland here tonight





Sun. 13<sup>th</sup> Rain most of  
night & all day.  
I make out grafting  
list re Charley, Henry  
husk corn make China  
cutting. Davis return home  
A.M. We will furnish him <sup>to see</sup> stock.

Wed. 14<sup>th</sup> Cloudy & cool,  
Almost clear at sunset. Rained  
nearly all night.

We sell 10 hogs A.M. among  
2 or 3 lbs. at \$1.50 I go to City  
with a load of staves.  
Charley & Henry fix for killing  
hog husk corn re

Thurs 15<sup>th</sup> Clear. Pleasant  
sunshine. Charley, Henry  
and self kill five hogs  
cut them up & send a part  
of the lard re. Lucinda  
helps the women. Rena here

Fri. 16<sup>th</sup> Cool & cloudy, sunshine  
most of day. I go to City  
with load of staves.  
~~Sund~~ in our order to Po &  
Frausen Bro's. Francis  
Charley helps to grind  
sausage pack sweat  
husk corn re Henry cuts  
wood re.

Sat. 17<sup>th</sup> Same cloudy warm  
sun. Charley hauls a  
load of Maum Jim  
Dawson's Ploughfield A.M.  
Hauls staves out to the road  
re P.M. Henry cuts and  
scatter manure husk  
corn re. Saw a cutting  
most of day. Mother  
Sime. Oddy, & J. H.  
McWilliam P.M. Henry  
comes home from Cant  
P.M.



Sun 18<sup>th</sup> Cloudy, warm  
sun. Mother & self to H.  
Anna & Mother leaving  
at 5:00. I stay with Ollie  
& go to duty tonight.

Mon 19<sup>th</sup> Warm sun  
Charley & Emory go to City  
with a load of staves.  
Henry husks corn. I  
write up report of Mill  
Valley Hort. mtg. at Cin.  
for the State mtg. at  
Muncie.

Tues 20<sup>th</sup> Raining all  
day. Charley & self  
sit up with him before  
train time. Emory, Charley  
& self go to City on train.  
Emory goes to Greenwood.  
I leave City for Muncie  
at 11 AM to attend State  
Hort. mtg. Sylvester

Johnson, Dr. Hanna  
Gas Little, W. Harry  
& others on the train.  
We arrive at Muncie  
about 2 PM. Mtg. held  
in the Hall with Public  
school building.  
A pretty good attendance  
of members. Jimmy  
Little & self stop with  
our Warden.

21<sup>st</sup> Rain all night  
& all day. Society  
mtg. at 8:30 AM &  
hold a P.M. & evening  
session. The singing  
is quite interesting.

22<sup>nd</sup> Rain most of  
night & day.  
Hold two sessions today  
adjourn a 1/2 hr. to visit



the Kinder Garden.  
The exercise was enjoyed  
very much by all. All  
admission since the  
at 3 P.M. I with some  
other come to City  
I stop at Shelley's over  
night.

23<sup>rd</sup> Rain during the  
night. Cool in the Am.  
& clear off during  
the day. A sunnier  
most of day. I come  
out here on early Am.  
train. Tim Root &  
Fred. here came  
yesterday evening  
Every at dusk.  
Henry & Fred. train with  
Henry haul stack on R.R.  
I have a surprise party  
for Fred & Every this evening

Sat 24<sup>th</sup> Clear fine day  
Charles goes to city  
with load of stacks  
Henry cuts wood till noon  
Fred & woman trim roots  
I write re Every go  
to city

Sun. 25<sup>th</sup> Cloudy sun  
warmer. Go to S.D. with  
Aunt Mother Fred. Every  
visit go to R.R. to city  
R.R. A series of outgo  
commence here tonight  
Mother & Fred go

Mon. 26<sup>th</sup> Cool & damp  
threatening rain  
Charles & Henry haul a  
stack of hay re  
I make horseberry cuttings  
re Fred & woman trim roots  
Fred & self go to out to R.R.





Robt M<sup>c</sup>Beth & Wife  
O'Bell Fruitland  
Spent the evening  
with us. Robt goes to  
Covington to work in evening

Thurs 29<sup>th</sup> Cloudy All  
Raining All. Charles  
haule load of saw dust  
from Plainfield All  
Henry work about stable  
& ~~trunk~~ grapes. They  
make grape cutting 6 AM.  
Every & taken 70 doz eggs  
out of bin & pack for  
shipping Fred then  
note &c. I finish from  
bag cutting & pack the  
away. Go to duty. An  
Dr. Thomas comes home  
to dinner with us  
He looks over money box  
& gets a few lines.

Dr. Thomas' brother-in-law  
Wright burned here  
at 3 PM. All at duty  
tonight but O'ly self

Wed 28<sup>th</sup> Warm & some showery  
Every & Fred go to City  
with a load of staves & 4000  
packed eggs. Charles &  
Henry cut wood. I help  
cut wood & go to duty.  
Mother Rena self at duty tonight

Thurs 29<sup>th</sup> Some cloudy  
Sunshine most of day  
Charles haule staves out  
I work then he & Henry  
cut wood. All but  
Rena go to duty. <sup>but every</sup> All  
All go tonight - have a  
good night. I help to cut  
wood &c.



3<sup>rd</sup> Cloud sunny  
Cooler some sun  
last night & skitting  
snow some today  
Charles & Mary self  
go to Port after  
box of Cines from  
Carleton. Charles &  
self unpack them  
& put in cellar  
Cleanly then haul & cut  
wood. All but Anna  
Rina go to outg.  
I help cut wood. All  
find trim roots  
all go to outg. tonight  
about for coffee in P.M.

3<sup>rd</sup> Cloudy & cool  
Find fairly pack  
Cines in cellar  
Have a surprise party  
for mother & about  
10.30 All Wilson

Shera & wife John  
McWilliam wife  
John Thompson wife  
James Frieblood wife  
Ben & wife  
Jimmy Miller wife  
But for Han  
Chat Miss Coker  
Al & Thura surprise  
the company  
Have a good time  
Samuel Frieblood  
here tonight. All but  
Anna & Thura go to  
outg. tonight



# Expenses

5-4	To 3rd, Cyclopedin	18.00
" 19	Suit of Cloth	14.00
" "	Collars & socks	75.
" "	Dress Girds	2.75-
" "	Shoes	5.00
" 28	Shoes for Olley	3.00
6 -	Anna	2.20
7-4	Hate	2.25
" 14	Anna	1.00
" 15	Whitingre	1.10
" "	Anna	3.15
" 16	Cyclopedin	12.00
8-23	Shoes for Olley	75.
8 -	Shoes for Anna	2.50
8-13	Boots	5.25
" "	Overhauls	50
" 15	Imb Stoves	15.00
Sep 16	Filament	40
" 22	Cyclopedin	12.00
" "	Wool trace	15.00
" "	Fair	2.50
		<u>105.75</u>

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Oct	Anna	4.75
11-12	To City	45.
" "	Glove	2.00
11-19	Paints & oil	12.00
" "	Mending boots & slippers	60
" 26	Overcoat	20.00
" "	Extracting & tincture for	
" "	Anna	4.00
" "	Anna & Willie	30.00
12-1	Encyclopedia	12.00
" "	Dr. Maucker	3.00
20	State Hort. notes	2.75-
25	Christmas tree	30
	Filling Anna's teeth	3.00
		<u>95.35</u>
		102.75-
		32.55-
		<u>119.85</u>
	From other book	34.45-



32.55-  
 103.75-  
 81.81-  
 218.15-  
 119.50  
 337.95-  
 379.63  
 717.48

John S. Thompson Address  
 At Indianapolis  
 134 N. Penn

Expenses to M & H Soc  
 at Cin. \$9.85-

Ticket 4.85-  
 City return 80c  
 Hotel 4.50

119.80  
 Bill will be for 119.80  
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